

It's A Fact
One Hawaiian small fish is known as "humuhumunukunuuapuaa," a large fish is known as "au."

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Thought For Today
Childhood may do without a grand purpose, but manhood cannot.—J. G. Holland

Baldomir Rule In Uruguay Is Strengthened

Herrera, Foe Of U. S. Cooperation Blocked In Coup

By RAFAEL ORDORICA
MONTEVIDEO, Feb. 21.—(AP)—President Alfredo Baldomir, backed by Uruguay's army of 17,000 strengthened his rule over this republic today with a swift defensive coup to prevent the leading foe of inter-American cooperation, Sen. Luis Alberto Herrera, from maneuvering himself into power.

In dramatic actions shortly before dawn, the president dissolved congress, ordered troops to surround the parliamentary building and other public places, canceled leaves of other soldiers and called off an election set for March 29.

General Julio Roletti, minister of war, resigned and Foreign Minister Alberto Guani assumed his duties.

Uruguay, a leading proponent of cooperation with the United States and its allies, severed all relations with the axis at the recent Pan-American conference in Rio de Janeiro. Its bases on the broad Plate river separating this country from Argentina are strategic.

Uruguay's tiny navy was held in readiness after Guani conferred with Rear Admiral Carlos Baldomir and the president met with his cabinet in an extraordinary session this morning.

Respect Guarantees
The president, whose affable manner contrasts with what his close friends call his "iron will," was expected to broadcast to the nation soon to explain his stand. He stoutly maintained that he would respect all guarantees established by the constitution.

The election has been called by the president to secure authority to draw cabinet officers only from the majority party. Two minority representatives now are included, and Baldomir contended this weakened his position.

The senate passed a resolution repudiating the government's election stand and Baldomir's reaction was a swift dissolution of congress.

Herrera long has opposed the president's foreign policy and has been outspoken against Baldomir's plan to build naval air bases with U. S. funds. Two years ago, he chided the president for seeking cooperation with the United States, which he called "imperialistic."

Troop frustrated an attempt of the Herreristas to hold a rump session within the parliament building this morning in defiance of the president's order dissolving congress.

Instead they met in front of the building and adopted a resolution declaring Baldomir had ceased to hold the presidency and that his powers automatically passed to Vice-President Cesar Charlone. The vice president, though nominally a member of Baldomir's party, is widely recognized as entertaining totalitarian sympathies. He was a candidate for the presidency in the cancelled election.

The Herrerista rump congress provoked the only violence today. Police charged the group when it refused to disband, injuring Sen. Vigliola. Two senators and several bystanders were arrested. Elsewhere order prevailed.

Well Drillers Elect Officers

The Missouri Water Well Drillers Association closed a two day convention in Sedalia Saturday afternoon with the election of the following officers:

President, Theodore Flamm, Kimmiswick.

Vice-president, R. A. Foster, Harrisonville.

Treasurer, J. C. Harness, Warrensburg.

Secretary, Leonard Koebel, Chesterfield.

Assistant Secretary, H. S. McQueen, Roja.

Directors, D. Lee Shawhan, Lone Jack, Norman Schneider, Cape Girardeau and Paul Clark, Fenton.

The 1943 convention will be held in St. Louis.

H. A. Beuhler, state geologist, spoke on samples of well cuttings and J. G. Grohskopf, also with the state geology department, gave a talk on ground water supplied from the lower structures of the southeast part of the state.

S. E. Shoup, with the government's priorities department, told the drillers what they could expect in the way of casing and water well supplies.

Surprises From Air Heaped On Nazis

LONDON, Feb. 21.—(AP)—The British industry has many surprises in store for Germany. Minister of Aircraft Production J. T. C. Moore-Brabon said in an interview today.

Work is proceeding on engines which will power machines that will astound the Nazis, he said.

He stressed the vital role of four-engined bombers now that the war has spread over "astronomical distances" and disclosed that twin-engined Handen and Whitley bombers had been discontinued.

Roundup Of Aliens Deemed As Dangerous

FBI Agents Comb Coastal Cities And Seize Contraband

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—(AP)—More than 200 Japanese, Italian and German aliens whose activities convinced the federal bureau of investigation that they were potentially dangerous were taken into custody today on the Pacific coast and in Arizona.

A reliable source disclosed that some were members of organizations controlled from enemy countries or by enemy governments.

One hundred FBI agents, aided by more than 200 police, county officers and state highway policemen, took part in the northern California raids—the latest of a series which have fanned out daily into alien colonies near military establishments.

A number of aliens were found in possession of contraband, including guns and ammunition, cameras, binoculars, flashlights, radios, alien flags, and dynamite. The dynamite—75 sticks and 45 caps—was seized in a raid in Arizona.

Take 278 In Custody
By late afternoon 278 persons had been taken into custody and booked as en route to the immigration department. FBI agents said the raids were continuing.

Of the total number of arrests, 150 were in northern California. These comprised 96 Japanese, 46 Italians and eight Germans.

It was recalled by an authoritative source in connection with the small number of Germans arrested that American citizenship was necessary for membership in the Bund organizations. This same source indicated it could be assumed that the FBI was not getting to watch the activities of certain naturalized persons.

At Los Angeles the government at the request of navy officials, seized Fish harbor, which adjoins the huge naval establishment on Terminal island. The action will clear all aliens from the area and permit expansion of fleet activities. A score of Japanese were arrested.

More than 50 aliens were arrested in the Seattle area, Oregon reported 12 arrests.

At San Diego, FBI and naval intelligence agents arrested 35 Japanese aliens, identified as

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Cross Roads Comment

Public Opinion At Work—

During the past ten days Americans have witnessed an amazing demonstration of the potency of mass public opinion. Lethargic citizens for a decade have tolerated a rubber-stamp congress, until that body of men reached its lowest ebb by passing a pension bill for themselves.

Now the same congress is on its way to killing that same measure—in a matter of days after its passage. Something rarely done! What causes this rapid about face?

There was no election, no change in the membership of the congress. The newspapers simply told the story; a free press functioned. Mass public opinion expressed itself. That's one clearly evident reason why this nation must retain its free press against all efforts to throttle it; efforts being subtly attempted this very day.

If national public opinion is so powerful that it can force such immediate action by the United States congress, cannot public opinion function just as effectively in local affairs.

If Sedalia public opinion demands an airport we'll get one. The hair-splitters and technicality technicians may raise an outcry, but it cannot prevail against public opinion.

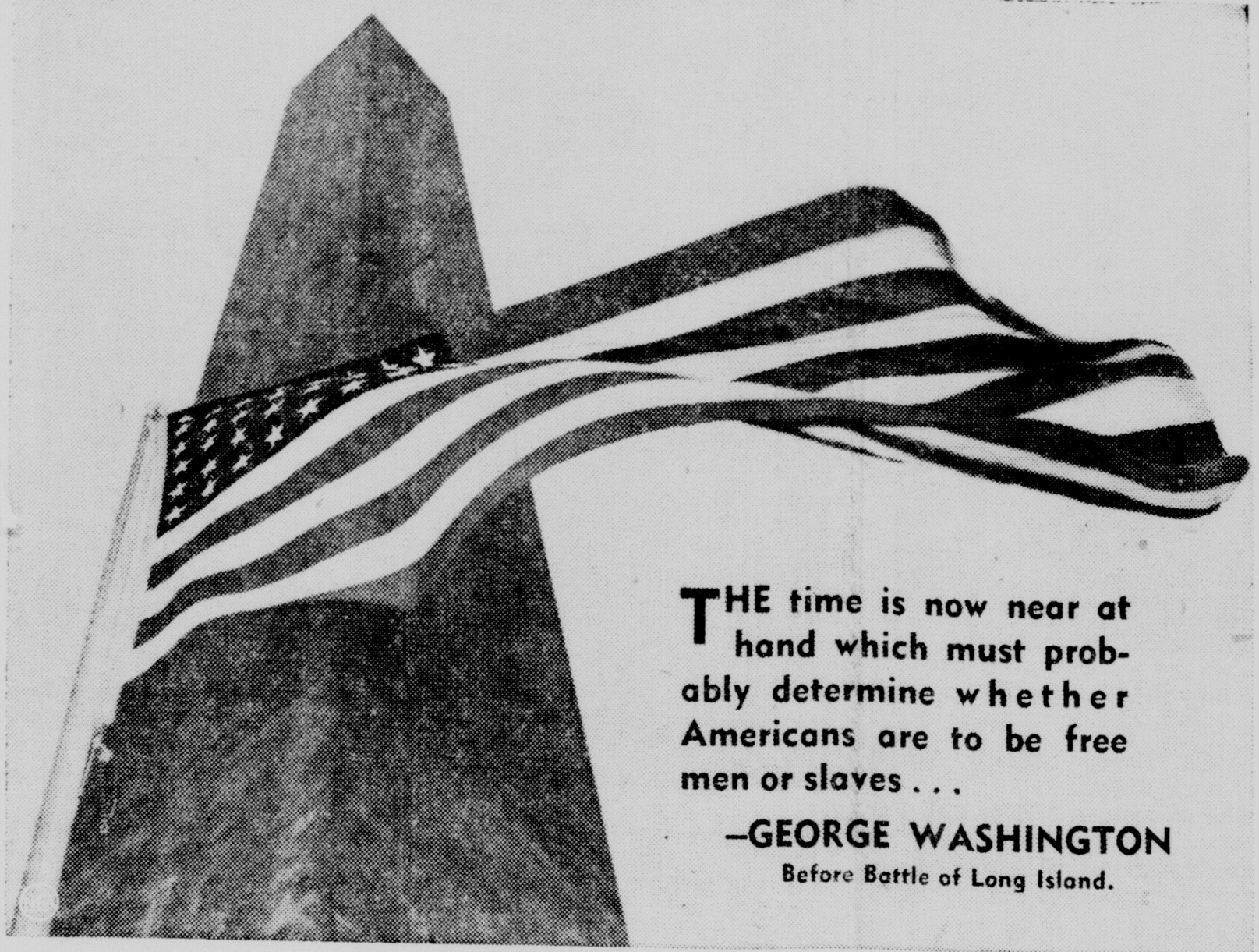
Wonder What He'll Do With His Money?—

A man of means in another city whose wife and only child had died some years ago, said one of his most perplexing problems was what to do with his money after he died. Although most of his affluence came from business enterprises in the town where he lived, he had never taken an interest in the community's civic affairs. I think he owes the town something, so suggested he leave about \$25,000.00 to the city for a recreational center or an airport.

Such a gift surely would be a perpetual monument to the man, and best of all it would fool a lot of citizens who didn't have much use for him. I think he liked this suggestion the best, because he would also fool a lot of distant relations who had been waiting for him to die so they could get their hands on his money for loose and luxurious living. Requests that serve the public good are best. Seldom do relatives appreciate an inheritance. Somehow they think they have earned it by outliving the dead man.

The Union Opposite The Heart—

In displaying the American flag against a wall, some persons are confused whether the union, or field of stars, should be to the right or left of the observer. Mrs. Jewell Bass Davis, of Central Missouri State Teachers' College, Warrensburg, gives this cue, easy to remember: "hang the flag with the field of stars opposite the observer's heart." The most natural position, isn't it?



THE time is now near at hand which must probably determine whether Americans are to be free men or slaves . . .

—GEORGE WASHINGTON
Before Battle of Long Island.

Rising Tide Of Resistance To The Japanese

Spirit Of Filipinos Unbroken By Military Rule

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—(AP)—A rising tide of resistance to the Japanese invaders in the occupied areas of the Philippines was reported today by the war department.

A communique said that General Douglas MacArthur had reported that despite the harshness of the Japanese military rule, "the spirit of the liberty-loving Filipinos remains undaunted."

Many native informers have mysteriously disappeared, and a secret society known as "FFF" or "Fighters For Freedom" has been formed to foster civilian resistance.

MacArthur's report contrasted with Japanese propaganda announcements that a Filipino administration had been set up to cooperate with the invaders.

As an indication of the Filipino state of mind, the communique said that a Japanese proclamation in Manila and elsewhere, declaring that ten Filipinos would be shot for every Japanese killed was slyly altered to read that ten Japanese soldiers would lose their lives for every Filipino slain.

Spirit Is Undaunted

The communique, No. 118, based on reports received until 4 p. m. EWT., said:

"1. Philippine theater: 'General MacArthur has furnished the war department with reports he has received relative to the morale and loyalty of the Filipinos in the areas occupied by Japanese troops.'

"Despite the harshness and severity of the military rule imposed by the invaders, the spirit of the liberty-loving Filipinos remains undaunted. Confidence in ultimate victory and hope that the Japanese soon may be expelled from

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Dance Proceeds Will Go To Red Cross

Last minute plans have been completed for the dance at convention hall, Liberty park, Monday night, sponsored by the Pettis county Post No. 16, American Legion, the proceeds to be given to the Red Cross. Music will be by an orchestra, donated by Local 22 of Musicians.

The Legion is giving awards of defense stamps for numerous events at the dance.

Defense Group Meets Friday

More Volunteers Among Civilians Are Desired

The Council of Civilian Defense met Friday night and heard reports from committee chairmen on the program of the different activities. Mayor J. H. Bagby, chairman, presided.

The purpose of this council is to arrange for the defense of the civilian population in the county during the war emergency, to collect all the scrap metal and paper possible and see that it is transported to plants for war weapons use; to have an organization for protection in any and every locality in case of fire, air raids, or any disaster; to have medical stations to care for persons injured in any disasters; to have equipment and facilities available if needed unexpectedly, and to have the names of all persons who are willing and able to aid in a disaster or a program to prevent disaster, and to be assigned to a job where they will be best fitted.

Need More Volunteers
It was brought out again that the volunteer registration is low for the number of people here. It is the belief of the council that most everyone in the county would be glad to help if they are needed, but unless their names are listed, those in charge will have no way of knowing who these people are, how to get them, and what they can do. The registration cards are at the Chamber of Commerce and those who have failed to register may do so any day during office hours, at the Chamber's headquarters.

Although unable to attend the meeting, Guy T. Callender, in charge of the sale of used automobile licenses reports another load sold, and the sum of \$7.45 realized. Lawrence Barnett reports \$74.80 from the sale of paper. Dr. A. L. Walter was authorized to spend \$100 for medical supplies for first aid stations. J. U. Morris made a tentative report that there will be more scrap metal shipped out of the county in February than there was in January.

Attending the meeting were: Mayor J. H. Bagby, Ellsworth Green, Jr., A. L. Gorsett, L. W. Richardson, Lawrence Barnett, Mrs. Grace Young, J. U. Morris, Judge Lon E. Leslie, Miss Roseanne Dugan and Dr. M. E. Gouge.

Thirty-Nine On Tanker Perish

WILLEMSTAD, Curacao, Feb. 21.—(AP)—Thirty-nine members of the crew of the Norwegian tanker Kongsgaard were believed to tonight to have been drowned or burned to death in a torpedoing of the western tip of Curacao. Seven crew members were rescued.

The Kongsgaard was hit sometime this morning.

Survivors said the place where the ship was torpedoed was "a burning hell" from the blazing oil on the water.

Army motorboats and fishing boats hurried to the scene with the Red Cross to assist, but by tonight it appeared that the 39 had perished.

Auto Rationing Begins Mar. 2

New Cars To Be Allotted Only For Essential Needs

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—(AP)—Farmers, if they have no other means of transportation, defense workers, taxi operators, and essential traveling salesmen will be eligible to buy new automobiles under rationing regulations announced today.

Aside from these groups, the eligible list follows in general that for rationing of new tires and in for rationing of new tires and includes physicians, visiting nurses, fire fighters, policemen and others regarded as essential to protection of safety and health.

No one will be permitted to buy a new automobile, however, unless the local rationing boards is satisfied that the applicant's present car is not adequate for the duties he performs.

Rationing is effective March 2, and will govern the sale of the 340,000 new automobiles made available for distribution this year.

The Office of Price Administration directed that local rationing boards require an applicant to prove his need for a new car in the light of conditions peculiar to his community, and officials predicted that, with less than 10 per

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Red Cross Gets Ready Response

Miss Agnes Quin and Mrs. J. A. Lamy, chairmen of the surgical dressing department, report that the Red Cross office is well pleased with the splendid response from the women of Sedalia and Pettis county to their call for volunteer workers in the surgical dressing rooms.

Ninety-five women devoted 250 hours to folding bandages and completed over three thousand sponges last week.

A white uniform or smock and head covering are necessary, and the workers are asked to not wear nail polish.

The following schedule is observed:

Tuesday 9 to 11:30—1 to 3:30; Wednesday 9 to 11:30—1 to 3:30; Thursday 9 to 11:30; Friday 1 to 3:30; Tuesday and Friday evenings, 7:15 to 9:30.

W. E. Shirley is now instructing the employees of the City Light and Traction company in the Advanced first-aid course. This group has just completed the standard course.

Mrs. L. W. Richardson's class which has been meeting in the Assembly room at the court house, will continue hereafter at the public library, Tuesday nights at 7 o'clock.

Miss Della Jones is conducting a standard class which meets at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening at the library.

Volunteers are still needed for the Nurses' Aide Corps of which Mrs. Abe Rosenthal is chairman. A meeting of the Nurses' Aides has been called by the chairman, Mrs. Abe Rosenthal, for 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, at the Red Cross headquarters. All interested are asked to attend.

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The Democrat desires that all subscribers receive their papers promptly and that those not receiving them on time please be sure to call 1000 before 7 p. m. evenings during the week, or before 10 a. m. Sunday mornings, that they may not miss an issue. After those hours no one is available to make a second delivery.

Big Guns Of U.S. Navy In Action Off Java

See Shipmates Die In Blazing Ship Inferno

Land Eighteen Survivors Of An Oil Tanker

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 21.—(AP)—Eighteen survivors who saw 20 shipmates die in the blazing inferno of the torpedoed oil tanker Pan Massachusetts off the southeast coast spoke with heartfelt praise today of the bravery of a rescue vessel's crew.

"They had guts," commented radio officer Robert Welsh, 25, of Centerline, Mich., "they saw us torpedoed and shelled but came right up to the rescue. They even broke radio silence to call for help. Our radio was knocked out by the first blast."

"That was bravery," said Capt. Robert E. Christy, hoarse from swallowing smoke and sea water. "We had no idea any ship would risk the same fate that struck us in order to help survivors. After saving all the living they picked up two of our dead."

Heroism And Horror

The story of heroism by the crew of the unnamed rescue ship mingled with a tale of horror for those aboard the ill-fated Pan Massachusetts, 31st ship officially announced attacked in the current series of sinkings in Atlantic coastal waters.

Two torpedoes exploded in rapid succession Thursday and instantly the plodding tanker, heavily laden with 50,000 barrels of gasoline and an additional equal amount of kerosene and fuel oil, became an inferno. The unseen submarine fired three or four shells that spread the flames and knocked out the radio facilities and wheelhouse.

Eight men miraculously escaped injury. Ten are in a hospital here, and the two bodies brought in by the rescue craft, chief engineer O. S. Pedersen of New Rochelle, N. Y., and Alfred Mattson, seaman, of Galveston, Tex., are in the morgue.

Some of the ten in the hospital are slightly burned, others suffered terrible burns as they floundered in a sea of flames that spread for nearly a mile around the Pan Massachusetts.

Rescuers Real Heroes

By Capt. Robert E. Christy, commander of oil tanker Pan Massachusetts written for the Associated Press.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 21.—We went through three hours of hell out there and 20 fine men are dead in the sea, but I saw some real heroes on a rescue ship. I'm going back to the sea, as quickly as I can, out of respect for those who died and those who risked death to save us.

Two torpedoes exploded against our sides in rapid succession, and instantly we were a mass of flames amidship. We had 50,000 barrels of gasoline and another 50,000 barrels of diesel oil and kerosene aboard. The sea soon was afire

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Damaging Blows To Invasion Ships Of The Japanese

Orders Given Civilians To Leave Darwin

Australians In Preparation For Further Attacks

CANBERRA, Australia, Feb. 21.—(AP)—The Australian government anticipating further direct attacks on the mainland by the Japanese, ordered civilians today to evacuate the north coast naval station of Darwin potentially a vital supply base in the United Nations' southwest Pacific strategy.

All women except nurses were ordered to leave.

Prime Minister John Curtin emphasized, however, that he was not invoking martial law.

"London has been bombed but not conquered and Darwin has been bombed but not conquered," he declared. "Martial law was not declared in either place."

At the same time an official denial was issued of Japanese claims that allied naval units suffered heavy damage in Thursday's two bombing attacks on the north coast port, attacks which constituted the first assaults on the Australian mainland since it became a part of the British empire.

Damage Details Withheld
However, all details of damage actually inflicted were withheld as information of possible value to the enemy.

The possibility that German-made planes are being used by the Japanese in the Australian zone of operations was seen in an RAF communique which stated that several planes participating in the attacks on Darwin bore the Swastika markings of the Nazi air force.

The RAAF also the first partial allied confirmation of Tokyo assertions that the Portuguese-Dutch island of Timor has been invaded. RAAF planes were said to have located an enemy convoy near Koepang, capital of the island's western or Dutch sector, or Friday morning. An air raid on Koepang was reported the same day.

"There has been no further communication since from RAAF units there," said the communique.

Meanwhile defense measures were stepped up in southern Australia. In the eastern command, which includes New South Wales, married men between from 18 to 35 were called into service; the Premier of Victoria ordered that no light should be shown at night in any building within 10 miles of the coast, and a Canberra decree removed employees of banks and insurance companies from the list of reserved occupations.

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10:30 a. m. "What Effect Does Defense Have On The Job of Girl Scout?"—Mrs. Landon Welch.

11 a. m. "What Girls Can Do For The Community"—Mesdames L. J. Banner, John Lamy, Miss Joyce Lynn, Girl Scout leaders.

12 (noon) Lunch

1 p. m. "How Are Our Adult Jobs Affected in General?"—Mrs. D. Kelly Scruton, commissioner of Sedalia Girl Scouts.

1:15 p. m. "How Are Our Adult Jobs Affected in Particular?" (small group discussions according to jobs represented).

2:30 p. m. "Where Do We Go From Here?"—Mrs. Harold Dean, vice-chairman, Region VIII Girl Scout committee.

Second Hungarian Rhapsody, Liszt.

Petite Suite De Concert, S. Coleridge-Taylor.

a. La Carpe de Nannette. b. U Bonnet D'Armour. c. Le Tarantelle Feltillante. Orchestra.

Intermission
The Banner Dance
Dance (to be selected)
Barton Mumaw.

"Black Eyes," Harry Horlick and Stone—Orchestra.
Dance (to be selected)
Barton Mumaw.

Manhattan Serenade, Louis Alter—Orchestra.
The Spear Dance
Barton Mumaw and Orchestra.

Girl Scouts To Aid In Defense

Girl Scout leaders and committee members from eight counties have been invited to attend the Defense Institute to be held at the Elks club next Saturday.

The institute is being held to study the defense needs of the communities and to determine how Girl Scouting can best be utilized in meeting the needs.

Members of other organizations and agencies in Sedalia who are interested in youth programs and how they may become a greater part of the Civilian Defense program are invited to attend.

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The Weather

Sunday slightly cooler north.

Lake of Ozarks Stage 9 foot below full reservoir.

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WASHINGTON — Ever since the escape of the German battleships Gneisenau and Scharnhorst, with the cruiser Prince Eugen, the U. S. and British high commands have been studying the strength of the allied fleet in the Atlantic.

Battleships are like kings in a game of checkers. They can move backwards or forwards with more impunity than lesser vessels; and they can "take" smaller warships. Therefore, a compact, powerful body of battleships, making surprise raids on the enemy can prove disastrous in the extreme—especially when the antagonist has long supply lines spread out over 3,000 miles of the North Atlantic, guarded only by destroyers and cruisers.

Surveying the new Nazi naval strength, allied commanders are preparing for the worst. For this is what they figure the Nazis have:

The Gneisenau and Scharnhorst, 26,000 tons each.

The new battleship Tirpitz, 40,000 tons.

The Friedrich der Grosse and Hindenburg, 45,000 tons each, under construction for some time and probably 95 percent completed.

Two airplane carriers, the Deutschland and Graf Zeppelin, of 19,500 tons carrying 250 planes each.

Eight cruisers of the Prince Eugen class.

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war and is therefore known to the enemy that many of our battleships were built as far back as 1911 and 1912, making them thirty years old. And a battleship only twenty years old is considered out of date.

That was one reason why President Roosevelt issued his grim warning that the entire east coast of the United States, and even Detroit, might be vulnerable to attack.

All this is why U. S. strategists are convinced that the British-American fleets must concentrate their operations in the Atlantic even at the expense of the Mediterranean.

The Pacific is a different problem. But in the Atlantic U. S. admirals fear disastrous consequences if the allied fleets continue to be divided between the Mediterranean and the North Atlantic.

This question is going to be one of the most vital debates facing allied commanders—especially with the French fleet getting restless in the Mediterranean.

Mrs. Roosevelt's Proposals

Mrs. Roosevelt has made some proposals to the army and navy that more recognition be given Negroes in the armed services. She has proposed a colored flying squadron and colored tank units, contending that if proper recognition is given to the Negro he will prove just as valiant a defender of his country as any other citizen.

Mrs. Roosevelt has also taken up the cudgels on behalf of Negro claims that they should be eligible to commissions in the navy.

Behind-the-scenes, this has created quite a furor, because the navy has not been open to commissioned colored officers in the past. And so far the navy has answered a flat-footed "no."

The army, however, has not closed the door to colored officers. Colored commissioned officers served in the last war, and until he retired recently, there was one colored brigadier general in the army. So far, however, the army has not welcomed Mrs. Roosevelt's proposals of colored air squadrons and tank units.

President Vargas' Dream

Madam Vargas, wife of the president of Brazil, remarked about her daughter the other day: "I don't know what to do about Alzira. All she talks about is the United States."

This remark illustrates not only the tremendous wave of Brazilian sentiment for the United States but also one of the chief reasons for President Vargas' pro-American policy. All his children, plus his wife, have visited here. One boy spent four years at Johns Hopkins; Alzira has made four trips to the United States; his second son is now here studying medicine.

Vargas himself has never been to this country, though it is his ambition to come. However, a few days after the Rio de Janeiro conference he sent his minister of finance and his closest friend to Washington as a step toward fulfilling a long-cherished dream.

That dream is to develop the vast Amazon valley and make it the heart of Brazil, just as the

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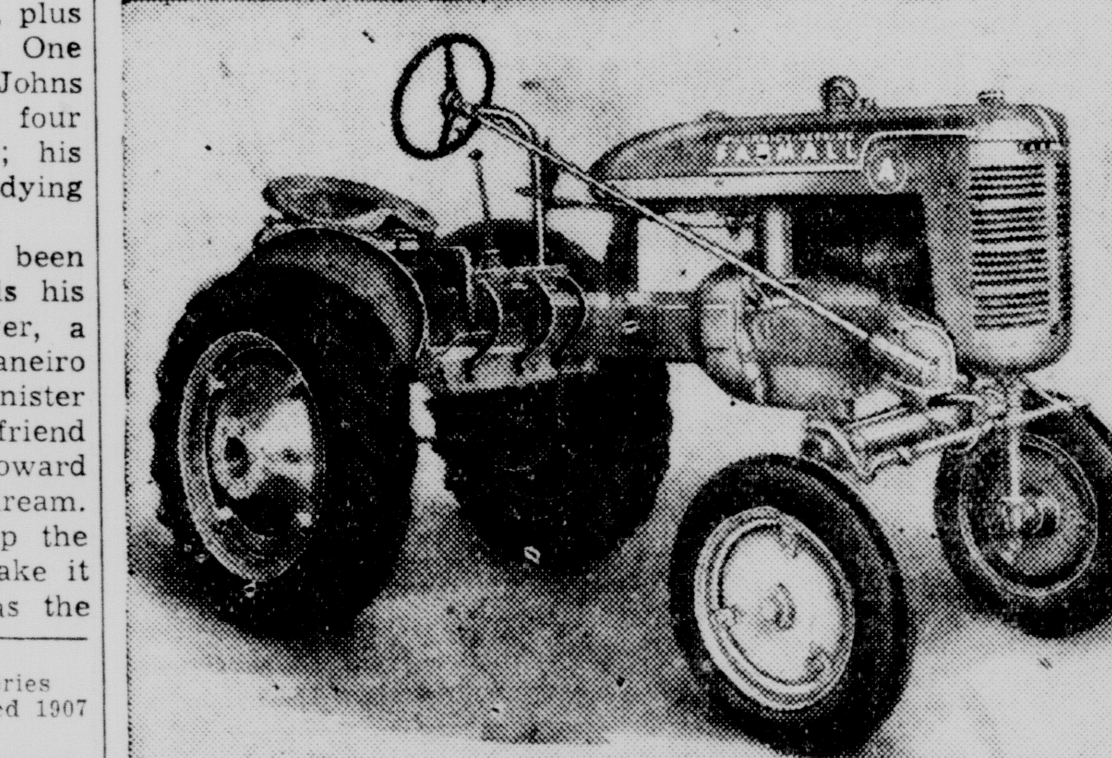
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27-1 p. m.

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| 1 Whiteface cow, 5 yrs. old, pasture bred | 1 Steer calf, 5 1/2 months old, wt. 400 lbs. |
| 1 Roan heifer, 2 yrs. old, fresh March 15th | 1 Steer calf, 4 months old, 300 lbs. |
| 1 Red heifer, 2 yrs. old, fresh March 15th | 1 Black mare, smooth mouth |
| 1 Black Whiteface heifer, 2 yrs. old, fresh March 1st | 1 Black mare, coming 4 yrs., gentle, good |
| 1 Jersey heifer, 2 yrs. old, fresh March 1st | 9 Yearlings and 2 yr. old ewes. Lamb April 1st |
| 1 Whiteface brindle heifer, 2 yrs. old, fresh April 15th | 1 Yearling buck |
| 1 Mottle face yearling heifer | 1 International disc |
| 1 Black whiteface yearling heifer | 1 Cultivator |
| 1 Whiteface heifer, coming yearling | 1 Deering mowing machine |
| 1 Whiteface heifer, 8 months old | 1 John Deere iron wheel wagon |
| 1 Steer calf, 6 months old, wt. 425 | 1 Hay frame |
| And other articles too numerous to mention. | 1 Wagon box, grain tight |

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PUBLIC SALE

As I am leaving the state, I will sell at public auction on the old W. D. Steele Farm located 3 1/2 miles north of Sedalia on the Longwood Road on

TUESDAY, March 3—1 P. M.

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| 1-5 yr. old Jersey Cow, fresh, Jan. 15. Milking 3 1/2 gal. | Red Devil Fence Charger, 80 rods of new barbed wire. |
| 1-8 yr. old Holstein, Fresh, Jan. 15. Milking 3 1/2 gal. | Some corn, kaffir corn, and oats. |
| 1-5 yr. old Holstein, Fresh, Jan. 15. Milking 3 1/2 gal. | 1-4 horse John Deere Disc. |
| 1-3 yr. old Jersey, Fresh Mar. 6. | 1-12 in. walking plow. |
| 1-3 yr. Jersey, Fresh Jan. 22. | 1 Double Shovel. |
| 1-2 yr. Jersey-Holstein, Fresh Jan. 11. Milking 3 1/2 gal. Vaccinated. | 1 Low iron wheel wagon. |
| 1-3 yr. Jersey, milking. | 1 Hay Frame. |
| 1-3 yr. Jersey, milking. | 1 Grain Bed, New. |
| 1-3 yr. Jersey, milking. | 1 12 inch 2 gang tractor plow. |
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| 1-3 yr. Jersey Heifers, vaccinated. | 1 COMBINE—NEW |
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| 3 individual hog houses. | 1 Little Giant Seeder (hand). |
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| | 1 Bone sweep rake |
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| | 1 Low wheel wagon and frame |
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Whittier PTA Has Founder's Day Program

Mrs. A. J. Gregory Is Elected As President Friday

Members of the Parent Teachers Association of Whittier school observed Founder's Day at the regular meeting on Friday afternoon with a silver tea. The table appointments were in PTA colors with a yellow centerpiece and blue tapers. Mrs. A. J. Gregory and Mrs. Stein Fennell poured at the table. Refreshments served also carried out the color scheme.

Preceding the tea a program arranged by Mrs. Fennell was presented. A candle lighting service "The Child Four Square" was beautifully portrayed. Irene Wagner of grade six played the piano prelude "Bells of St. Marys." The idealistic loyalty of children to the PTA and the commemoration pledges of PTA leaders made up the program which ended with a patriotic tribute.

Those appearing on the program

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were: Irma Ruth Kasak, Wilma Jean Gregory, Margaret Biery, Mark Bergmann, John Thomas, James Paul, Norman Logan, Mrs. A. J. Gregory, Mrs. G. Haggard and Miss Carolyn Courtney. Concluding the program of tribute to the founders Irene Wagner played "Garden of Tomorrow."

During the business session Stein Fennell sang "When Children Pray" by Beatrice Fenner and Mrs. C. E. Van Horn read "Why We Keep Founders' Day."

Mrs. A. J. Gregory was elected president of the Whittier PTA due to the change of residence of Mrs. Harold Gamber recently resigned that office.

Syracuse

Mrs. B. A. BRIDGES Miss Virginia Mase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mase became the bride of Alfred Wenzel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wenzel of Slater. The marriage took place in Marshall at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, February 14, at the Baptist church parsonage, the pastor officiating, using the single ring ceremony. Their attendants were Mrs. Paul Smith of Marshall, sister of the bride, and Bob Bryson of Slater. The bride's costume was blue and her corsage was of orchids. Mrs. Smith's costume was also blue with a corsage of gardenias. Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for a short honeymoon trip in Kansas City. While there they were entertained by friends. On their return to Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith entertained in their homes with a 6 o'clock dinner. Mrs. Wenzel is associated with her sister, Mrs. Smith in school work near Marshall. Mr. Wenzel has been employed by the highway department but has recently enlisted in the navy and will soon leave for service.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns had as their guests Thursday, his mother Mrs. Kate Burns and Mrs.

Just Town Talk

A SEDALIA Woman

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THROUGH ON THE

EAGLE

SHE HURRIED

TO THE Station

AND WHEN

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SHE HOPPED On

TO SEE Not Only

HER BROTHER

BUT THE Interior

OF THE Train

YOU KNOW The Eagle

DOESN'T HESITATE Long

AND BEFORE She

REALIZED It

THE TRAIN Was

MOVING

AND THERE She Was

BEDROOM SLIPPERS

AND ALL

ON HER Way East

THE TRAIN Was

IN TIPTON

BEFORE SHE Could

HAVE IT Stopped

SO SHE COULD

GET OFF

THEN IT Cost Her

SOMETHING LIKE

NINETY CENTS

FOR THE Ride

AND THREE Dollars

AND FIFTY Cents

FOR A Taxi

BACK HOME—

SHE HAD

A PASS

IN HER Pocketbook

AT HOME—

SO SHE'S Learned

ONE LESSON

SHE WON'T Get On

THE Eagle

AN MORE

"JUST FOR A Minute"

I THANK YOU

Burn's sister, Mrs. Paul Evans and small daughter both of Warrensburg.

Mrs. W. F. Ellis of Marshall, a former resident of this community passed away at the home of her son, R. J. Ellis Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock following a long siege of illness. Mrs. Ellis, a daughter of James and Sarah Poindexter was born in Richmond, West Virginia, April 7, 1854. She was married to William Ellis, June 25, 1870, who preceded her in death a number of years ago. Surviving are two sons, R. J. Ellis of Syracuse, H. F. Ellis, Columbia; three daughters, Mrs. Jewell Howell of near Marshall and the Misses Mable and Ethel Ellis of

the home. Mrs. Ellis has been a member of the Methodist church since early in life, also a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Those from here attending the funeral Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock were: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ellis and family Mrs. M. A. Collins, Albert Ellis, Newton Ellis, R. J. Collins and Mrs. Hadley Stahl.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mase of Marshall, who visited several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mase, left Wednesday for Eldon to visit with Mrs. Mase's parents, and Mrs. Lynda Russell. They will then go to Kansas City where Mr. Mase will enter the American Aeronautical Institution.

Mrs. Clavin Mummert, who is a patient in the Bothwell hospital where she underwent an operation Monday, is doing well as is expected.

Mrs. Martha Self, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past three weeks and was thought to be improving suffered a relapse last Friday. She was taken to the Boonville hospital Saturday.

The Syracuse Panthers were defeated by the Clarksburg Bulldogs in a basketball game played on the Clarksburg court Tuesday evening. The Syracuse girls also lost to the Clarksburg girls in a volleyball game.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Huff and daughter, Patricia, left last Saturday after a week's visit with Mrs. Clara Huff. They will visit with her father, Mr. Summers and sister, Margaret in Tribune, Kansas, for a week before joining her husband, Lieutenant H. B. Huff of Mesa, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Lampton of Dayton, Ohio, arrived the first of the week for an extended visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hampton and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler.

The Margaret Mission Circle met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. E. Cordry, Mrs. Paul Routon conducted a very interesting program on "Stewardship." Refreshments were served after the business meeting.



Typical of the popular new hand-wrought Mexican silver costume jewelry is this exotic evening set designed by Mary Contreras. Parrot clip combs in the hair have feather tails. The huge pendant is a fire god. Less ambitious pieces turned out by native artisans are available at budget prices.

About Flatworms Flatworms have no blood, and branches of their food canals extend to all parts of their bodies. Each segment grows into a new

complete worm if the original is cut into pieces. Marsh gas is used to light and heat a home in Kelseyville, Calif.

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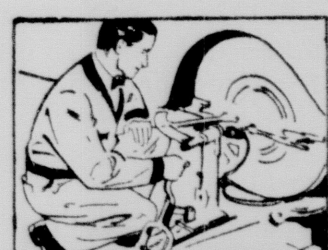
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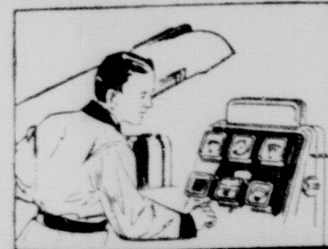
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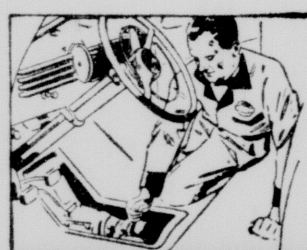
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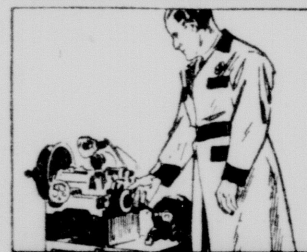
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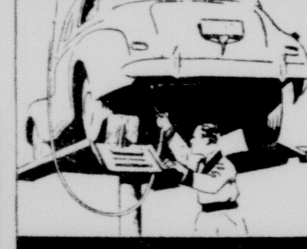
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Kansas State T routs Missouri 42-35

Second Half Rally Stings Missourians

Tigers Are Tied For Cellar Honors With Two Victories And Six Defeats

MANHATTAN, Kas., Feb. 21.—(P)—A second half rally gave Kansas State college a 42-35 Big Six basketball victory over Missouri tonight and pulled the Tigers down to a last place tie. Both K-State and Missouri now have two victories and six defeats.

K-State took an early lead but the sharpshooting of Carter and Harvey sent Missouri into an 18-15 halftime advantage. Soon after the second half began, the Wildcats offense took hold and they took the lead and never relinquished it. Missouri tried desperately the final minutes to close the gap.

Marlo Dirks, substitute center for K-State, led the scoring, registering four field goals and four free throws. Bruce Holman, State forward, and Herbert Gregg, Missouri forward, each had nine.

The box:

Missouri (35)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Gregg f	3	3	9	
Harvey f	2	2	3	6
Metheny f	0	1	1	1
Bangert f	2	0	1	4
Storm c	1	0	4	2
Burns c	0	0	0	0
Mills g	2	1	2	5
Carter g	2	0	0	4
Stark g	2	0	0	4

Totals	14	7	15	35
K-State (42)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Horacek f	1	0	0	2
Holman f	4	1	1	9
Borka f	0	0	0	0
Kohl f	0	1	1	1
Howe c	2	0	1	4
Dirks c	4	4	0	12
Beaumont g	4	0	2	8
Messner g	2	1	4	5
St. John g	0	1	1	1

Totals 17 8 10 42
Score at half: Missouri 18, Kansas State 15.

Free throws missed: Missouri: Gregg, Harvey, Bangert, Mills. K-State: Horacek, Holman, Kohl, Howe, Dirks, Beaumont, Messner, St. John.

Officials—House, Kansas City, Pulian, Grand Island, Neb.

Lincoln Suffers First Local Loss

Lincoln high school went down before Jefferson City Friday night in one of its rare defeats of the season as the Capital city team trounced the Sedalians 37 to 29 on the local court.

It was the first defeat of the season for the Lincolners on the Sedalia court, and the third on any field. They have won eight games thus far on their schedule. The score at the half-time period was 18 to 14 in favor of Jefferson City, claimed to be the toughest team in the state. Brown was high point man for the Capital city, with 14 points. Sedalia's Gravitt led for Lincoln with 12 points, and was followed by Harris with eight.

K. C. Americans To Play Omaha Tonight

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 20.—(Special)—Omaha Knights in a nip and tuck battle with Minneapolis for a A. H. A. hockey play-off berth will face the south division leaders, the local Americans here Sunday night at the Pla-Mor. The final combat between these two hockey machines will start at 8:30 p. m.

The Americans so far this season have been the Nebraska cousins, the Knights winning all three games from the locals early this season at Omaha and have split even in two contests here.

Both Teams Need Points
Both teams needing the win-points, the Americans to remain in first place, although assured of a play-off position, the Knights, to gain a spot in the coming championship series.

President George Higgins of the A. H. A. has set the play-off series for March 20th, with teams finishing second and third in both divisions playing the first series, best two out of three. The winner to meet the division champions in the second round, three out of five battles. The final series for the championship will be between the winners of the two play-off division series.

Kansas State-Iowa State Swimming Meet Is Tied Up

MANHATTAN, Kas., Feb. 21.—(P)—Kansas State college swimmers captured the concluding event, today to gain a 42-42 tie with Iowa State, Big Six champions, in a duel swimming meet.

At the start of the final event K-State trailed four points. Captain Ward Seal of Iowa State broke the pool record for the 150-yard backstroke, splashing in 1:52.5. Pete Ruckman, K-State, hung up a new record of 2:45.2 in the 200 breast stroke.

Market Wise Wins At Hialeah Park

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 21.—(P)—Market Wise, flying the colors of Louis Tufano, New York contractor, today defeated 14 other high class horses in the mile and eighth of the McLennan handicap at Hialeah Park.

With Wendell Eads in the saddle, Market Wise finished a half-length in front of John Hay Whitney's Gramps. Get Off from the Circle M. ranch was another half-length back for third place in front of the Woodvale Farm's Our Boots.

Doesn't Want Restrictions On Baseball

Mayor LaGuardia Says Public Wants It For Recreation

"Talk of restricting baseball achieves exactly what the Nazis and the Japs want to do—create a feeling of panic among city populations."

Fiorello H. LaGuardia, Mayor of New York, made this statement to reporters following his speech at the annual dinner of the New York Baseball Writers in which he defined baseball's place in the 1942 program of the nation's No. 1 municipality.

"I would go even further than did President Roosevelt in his letter to Judge Landis," the Mayor said, "Baseball and other recreational activities, with stress on sports, provide a medium for delivering Government messages to the populace."

Fight Size Restrictions
"I also will fight amateur defense experts who may seek to restrict the size of crowds at our ball parks. I plan to take up with the heads of our three ball clubs—Giants, Yankees and Brooklyn Dodgers—the matter of zoning their parks and arranging for the conduct of the fans if air-raid warnings are sounded."

"Baseball is the fun of the common people. I know that this summer I will get plenty of entertainment at Yankee Stadium, the Polo Grounds and Ebbets Field. With war work and responsibilities holding us all the closer to our bases, I believe thousands of others will be depending on baseball this summer for their breath of recreation to keep them fit for their serious functions."

Go To Night Games
"I'll go to night games, too. If we are to be bombed I'd just as soon be in a ball park as in my apartment."

The Little Flower has a baseball background dating back to boyhood at an Arizona army camp where his father was band-leader. In 1918 his outfit was quartered in Italy, an aviation unit divided into two camps, which quite logically organized ball clubs and played a series of games, culminating in one final championship test.

LaGuardia was manager of the winning side, score 2 to 1. His pitcher was Vic Aldridge, later a world series hero with the Pittsburgh Pirates when they won the 1925 world championship.

Found Not Guilty In Trial By Jury

Wilburn S. DeGarimore, charged with embezzling \$15 from Montgomery Ward & Company, by failing to turn in that amount which he is alleged to have collected for the sale of some tires, was tried on a misdemeanor charge in the Justice Court of J. C. Connor, Saturday, and, found not guilty by a jury.

DeGarimore, now employed at Lake City, was for about eight years in the employ of the Montgomery Ward & Company. The alleged offense was said to have taken place last December.

Members of the jury were, Joe Switzer, J. W. Haley, Andy Meyers, Walker Boulware, Gus Romig and Frank Kirkman.

The case was prosecuted by L. J. Harned, prosecuting attorney and DeGarimore was represented by Montgomery and Martin.

Warns On Violation On Retread Sales

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 21.—(P)—James A. Potter state rationing officer, declared today some dealers had violated the ban on retread tire sales and warned them "severe penalties" may result.

Rationing of retreaded and re-capped tires began Feb. 18 but Potter said he had been informed some retreaders had delivered built up tires since then without requiring certificates issued by local boards.

Such tires, he said, "should be immediately reclaimed and re-capped by the retreader or recapper. Otherwise, both the purchaser and the retreader or recapper may be subjected to severe penalties."

Cards Have New Angles For Training

Brilliant Squad Of Pitchers To Report To Billy Southworth

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 22.—Special—A scintillating seventeen-man squad of pitchers will report to Manager Billy Southworth at St. Petersburg, Fla., Monday morning. The 1942 Cardinal roster boasts 12 righthanders and 5 southpaws. Catchers Cooper, O'Dea and Mancuso will also begin preliminary conditioning tomorrow.

Eight infielders and a like number of outfielders will check in Friday. Denied a champion's banner by close margins the last three years, there is evidence the St. Louis Cardinals are going "all out" for the National league pennant this year.

Play Only Majors
Several new angles point to this. For the first time, all spring training games are booked against major league opposition. In the past the Cardinals have been most considerate of their minor league clubs on the way north, stopping off for daily games, "a la barn storm," with their smaller brothers. This, too, has been changed. The boys will remain in Florida for an extra period of sunshine. Only three stops are scheduled on the way home. In each case, they will play the Detroit Tigers.

Add Vitamin B1
In other words the mid-winter choice for the senior circuit flag will start training earlier, remain in Florida longer and will meet the best competition available at all times. Add the fact that vitamin B1 tablets will again play a part in conditioning the players and you have proof aplenty that the Cardinals mean business this year.

Contract Policy Changed

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 21.—(P)—The Cardinals, who this year changed their former policy of making piecemeal announcements of contracts, issued the first report today, on the status of their batters.

The pitchers and catchers are scheduled to start spring training at St. Petersburg, Fla., Monday. Branch Rickey, vice-president and general manager of the club, said the contract situation lined up like this:

Twelve Are Signed
Signed (12) — pitchers, John Beazley, Morton Cooper, Ira Hutchinson, Al Jurisich, Howard Krist, Bill Lohran, George Munger, Howard Pollet, Clyde Shoun and Lon Warneke; catchers Gus Mancuso and Walker Cooper.

Agreed to terms and will sign on arrival at St. Petersburg (2) — pitchers, Mathew Surkont and Ernie White.

Coming to St. Petersburg to complete negotiations (3) — pitchers, Harry Gumbert and Max Lanier; catcher Ken O'Dea.

Negotiating With Two
In various stages of negotiations (2) — pitchers, Harry Breechen and Murry Dickson.

That leaves only rookie pitcher Henry Nowak, with New Orleans last year who has not replied to his contract offer.

Rickey said a report on the Cardinals' infielders and outfielders would be made next week.

Defenders Rule Air Over Burma

RANGOON, India, Feb. 21.—(P)—Japanese bombers raided the town of Bassein behind the defenders of Burma today, but American and British fliers blasted Japanese positions and supply lines along the critical Bilin river front and apparently still ruled the air over Burma.

For four days, Japanese forces have attempted to crack British positions along the Bilin without apparent success. There were indications that furious fighting was in progress along the southern front, but no signs of new withdrawals by the defending troops.

Bassein, a railroad town at the mouth of the Irrawaddy river, west of Rangoon, has port facilities, which apparently were the object of the Japanese attack. The Irrawaddy is navigable for steamers for some distance into the interior of Burma.

"Knocking Tails Off"
EVANSTON, Ill., Feb. 21.—(P)—Cliff Groh, former Northwestern university student who is serving with American volunteer fliers defending the Burma road, sent this cable to his parents:

"We're knocking the tails off the Japs. Wouldn't change places with the richest man in the world. Having wonderful time."

Punishment
In Hunting ton, Ind., traffic violators have a "scarlet letter" pasted on their automobile windshields. These must be carried for 30 days.



It is "Squire" Kirchofer now to friends of Roy "Dutch" Kirchofer, well known sports fan in Sedalia, and one time among the "great" in local baseball. It all came about after Kirchofer bought a farm out northwest of town recently and let it be known he was going to be a "dirt farmer." Now there are any number of practical joke players around the Elks club of which "Squire" Kirchofer is a member so they thought it would be nice to help stock that farm.

A goat, described by Art Studebaker as a genuine South African Cookie Burr, was presented royally to "Dutch" at his place of business with an appropriate note attached. The note was signed by Joe Williams, Bolar Holt, Grover Brent and Art Studebaker.

It will be noted at the time of the presentation "Squire" Kirchofer was well pleased and had his picture snapped with the beginning of his stock collection. Friends looking at the picture, expressed themselves, saying "The one with whiskers must be the goat." As the picture was snapped the goat took quite an affectionate turn toward its new owner and just after the picture was taken turned his head suddenly and to the great surprise of "Squire" placed a big lap alongside his face.

The goat was then sent to his northwest. Studebaker says "Dutch" is now looking for post holes suitable lengths to cut and fit.

JACK Dempsey may be a "little too old" to put the gloves on, but he certainly still has the ability to steer his fighters to victory which was well proven last Tuesday night when he guided "Red" Burman, a twelve-round decision over Johnny Shkor, protege of Jack Starkey, at Baltimore.

There are a lot of boxing fans and wrestling fans, too, who remember Dempsey when he was in Sedalia about three years ago to referee a wrestling match at Convention hall Liberty Park. Dempsey at that time displayed some activity in getting around when he manhandled a couple of those mat bruisers to satisfaction of the crowd of some 700.

Time will tell, but I predict that in the near future Dempsey will find some young boxer in the Army and possibly the Navy who he will tutor to the heavy weight championship.

ERNEST Baker, secretary of the Missouri State Fair, is having one big headache over the activity on the race track this coming season. The biggest worry is the constant verbal requests of fair-goers to hold running races again this year, instead of devoting the entire program to harness races.

Talking with Mr. Baker the past week, he told me he had had numerous requests for running races. On the other hand he tells me officials of the track have failed to hear such requests or else are turning a deaf ear to the rumors. Mr. Baker is positive he has heard the remarks numerous times from those who "pay the gate fare" to the grandstand that they want 'em.

As a little help to Mr. Baker he is now requesting all those fair goers who want running races again to just drop him a penny post card saying so. He actually wants to back up his statement as to hearing of those rumors.

To start off this rain of post cards I am sending mine today. Now if the other two readers of this column will graciously pass the word on and have your friends tell their friends, and so on, something like a chain letter, maybe, Mr. Baker won't be wrong after all.

Just address your post card, "Ernest Baker, Secretary, Missouri State Fair, Sedalia, Mo." With a note "we want horse racing," and sign your name to it.

ANOTHER worry of Mr. Baker's is the annual classic which usually opens the first Sunday of the fair. Already a contract has been signed for this big event, but Mr. Baker is wondering if those who contracted for the event will be able to furnish the automobiles, drivers, and especially TRES.

In the past we years, Auto Racing Day has been one of, if not the largest day in attendance. It's a cinch if they are held this year it will be the biggest day of the 1942 fair, but if it fails to come off as per schedule, then the first Sunday is doomed to have an extreme "let down."

Aut Swenson, starter and track official, recently passed through Sedalia and stopped over for a few brief hours to discuss the situation and he firmly believes there will be auto racing this year. Swenson at the present time is down Florida way and conducting some speed races this winter and spring.

The Missouri Fair being one of their outstanding contracts for the past ten years is almost assured that if a race is to be run, it will be run on the local track.

Heavyweights In Race For Louis' Crown

Bob Pastor Meets Lem Franklin In Ten Rounds At Cleveland

CLEVELAND, Feb. 21.—(P)—Tricks Bob Pastor and slugging Lem Franklin—looked upon by many as the next heavyweight champion—tapered off today for a ten-round scrap which may clarify the race for Joe Louis' crown.

Given a break in the weather, Promoter Bob Brickman reckoned 13,000 customers would entrust \$56,000 to his care to see Franklin, one-time Cleveland hotel Porter, mix it up Tuesday night with the fancy boxer who dodged Louis a total of 21 rounds in their two meetings.

A Two Fisted Slugger
"I thing I'll knock Pastor out—any round between the first and tenth," declared Franklin, a two-fisted slugger who disposed of Tony Musto and ponderous Abe Simon in quicker time than Louis made of them.

A carefully-planned battle was indicated by Pastor, who stayed out of Joe's way for ten rounds while dropping a decision in their first match—and went 11 before losing on a technical knockout in a return go scheduled for 20 stanzas.

The New Yorker scales about 183 pounds, several more than he wants to carry at fight time, while Franklin is around 200.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Tigers Into Fourth Place In Conference

Kirkville Bengals Defeat Smith-Cotton Friday Night 28-22

The Tigers of Smith-Cotton high school lost their chance for third position in the Central Missouri basketball conference Friday night when they were nosed out on the local court 28 to 22 by the Kirkville Bengals.

The defeat dropped Sedalia into fourth place in the conference, and closed the scheduled season of the Tigers with four victories and six losses.

In the first period Kirkville found the basket for five field goals and one free throw against a lonely goal by Keet for Sedalia and two free throws, ending the initial period with the visitors leading 11 to 4. Kirkville counted for five more points to lead at the half time period 16 to 8.

In the second half the locals fought back at their opponents to come within shouting distance of the Kirkville score but never tied or led Kirkville. The local Tigers counted four field goals and two free throws against their enemies' three goals and two free throws in the third period, but were still at the rear giving Kirkville a six point lead at the end of the third.

In the fourth the Sedalians made four free throws, the visitors one goal and two free throws, bringing in the final score.

Tigers (22)	FG	FT	F
Hulse, f	1	2	2
Livengood, f	1	3	0
Russell, c	0	1	2
Carver, g	0	1	1
Leet, g	3	0	2
Lutgen, f	2	0	2
Phelps, g	0	0	2
Rissler, g	0	1	3
Anderson, f	0	0	1
Biggs, g	0	0	0

Totals	7	8	15
Kirkville (28)	FG	FT	F
Northern, f	5	1	2
Wade, f	1	0	4
Drennan, c	0	0	2
Slocum, g	4	3	1
Mears, g	1	1	2
Rollins, f	0	1	2
Ewing, c	0	0	2

Missed free throws, Sedalia 7; Kirkville, 8. Score at half, Sedalia 8, Kirkville 16. Officials, Donahue from Tipton.

James Atkinson, Keeper of the Buckskin.

Den 4 met Wednesday with Mrs. Mathews. Walter Wright, the Den Chief and three clubs were present. We passed our tests on the flag. We appointed Billy Hawley as Denner and Billy Mathews as Keeper of the Buckskin. Then we played games and were dismissed. Billy Mathews, Keeper of the Buckskin.

Plan Auxiliary State Patrol

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 21.—(P)—Plans for a 600-man auxiliary highway patrol force to supplement regular state troopers in emergencies were made public today by Supt. M. Stanley Ginn.

The auxiliary volunteers will be taken largely from civilian defense rolls and the American Legion, Ginn said. They will be trained in emergency traffic handling and other police work.

Several highway patrolmen will go to Kansas City next week for an FBI course in traffic direction. They, in turn, will instruct the auxiliary force.

Ginn said the supplementary group will be organized in 30 zones over the state, each with about 20 members. Volunteers must be between 24 and 35 years of age except for members of the Legion who will be selected regardless of age.

The superintendent said he hoped that at least half the members of the auxiliary force will have automobiles with car radios which can be turned to patrol transmitters. The volunteer force will be mobilized only in case of emergency and will not have regular police authority nor the right to carry arms.

Members will not be given full patrol commissions. Instead they will be given identification credentials for themselves and their cars. They will receive no compensation.

Certificates For Tires Are Issued

Tire certificates have been issued by the Rationing Board to: Taystee Bread Company, 812 West Main street, one tube. Hauling finished products.

Sedalia Steel and Wire Company, Main and Mill, two tires and two tubes.

Obsolete tires were issued to: Ira Pace, Green Ridge, one tire; Joseph J. Stober, route 3 two tires; J. C. Thompson, route 2, one tire and one tube; A. B. Landers, route 4, one tube.

Den 3 met at Mrs. Wolfel's on Tuesday at 4:15. At the meeting we passed on our flag achievement and played a game. We had two visitors from the other den.

Pacific Coast Horses To Hot Springs Races

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 21.—(P)—With stables jammed with some of the best thoroughbreds seen here since the rebirth of Arkansas racing eight years ago, Oakland Park will open its 30-day meet Monday with the \$1,000 Mayor Leo P. McLaughlin handicap feature.

Racing Secretary Eugene Burry said at least 1,500 horses would be stabled in and near the track by Monday.

The steeds have come in from the blacked-out Pacific coast tracks, New Orleans' fairgrounds, Florida's Hialeah and Tropical Park and farms in Kentucky, Maryland, and Texas.

Hollywood owners who sent horses are Chester Lauck, Don Ameche, Director Irving Cummings, Jr., and Bing Crosby.

First Round New Orleans Open Tied Up

Mangrum Has Best Round With A 37 To Tie Chick Harbert

By MORTIMER KREEGER

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21.—(P)—Lloyd Mangrum of Oak Park, Ill., led the field today at the halfway point of the \$5,000 New Orleans open golf tournament, but former open champion Lawson Little of San Francisco shot the best round of the meet thus far, a five under par 33-34—67, to move to a stroke behind him in a second place tie with Sam Snead.

Ties With Harbert
Mangrum had a 36-hole total of 138 to Little's 139, after adding a 35-34—69 to yesterday's 69 that tied Chick Harbert of Battle Creek, Mich., for the first round lead.

Snead, the Hot Springs, Va., better, who was followed as usual by the largest gallery of the day, had a 35-33—68 on top of yesterday's 71. He would have been in a tie for first place except for the stroke he doctored himself yesterday when his ball moved as he addressed it, although no one else saw it.

Little's putter was red hot and his chipping was exceptional, too.

Picard In Decline
Defending champion Henry of Oklahoma City, close upon the leaders yesterday with a 70, fell back with a 38-34—72 for a total of 142. Clayton Heafner of Lincoln, N. C., who also had a 70, three-putted one hole, four putted another and generally blew up for a card of 41-34—75 and a total of 145.

Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., pre-tournament favorite who had a bad day yesterday, still couldn't make par and turned in a 36-37—73 for a half-time score of 148. Jimmy Demaret of Detroit, Mich., 1940 winner of the tourney here, dropped out because of indigestion.

Rayl Runs Second To Rues Of K-State

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 21.—(P)—Missouri fell back on second and third places tonight to nose out Kansas State college 56 to 48 in a dual track meet.

The two big six schools divided the first place six and six but the Kansas State Wildcats didn't fare quite so well in place and show.

Don O'Hara, Missouri, who won the low hurdles and the broad jump and took third in the high hurdles, led the scoring with 11 points. Albert Rues, K-State distance ace, took the mile and two-mile.

Establish Two Records
Two new meet records were established. Elmer Aussicker, Missouri, pushed the shot to 49 feet 3/4 inches, a new mark and the Kansas State relay team lowered the four-man mile event mark to 3 minutes 32.4 seconds.

Mike Wren by Rues, K-State; Rayl, Missouri, second; Cunningham, K-State, third; Time 4:24.

880-Yon by Miller, K-State; Rayl, Missouri, second; Cunningham, K-State, third. Time 2:01.2.

High jump: Won by Stiffey, Missouri (6 feet), Meyers and O'Hara, Missouri, tied for second (51-10).

Seventh street, and tearing up a paper. When Mr. Shoe caught the boys he notified the police and they were taken to police headquarters at 6:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

All during Saturday morning the boys, who told of

The orange tree is believed to be the only one which bears fruit and flowers at the same time.

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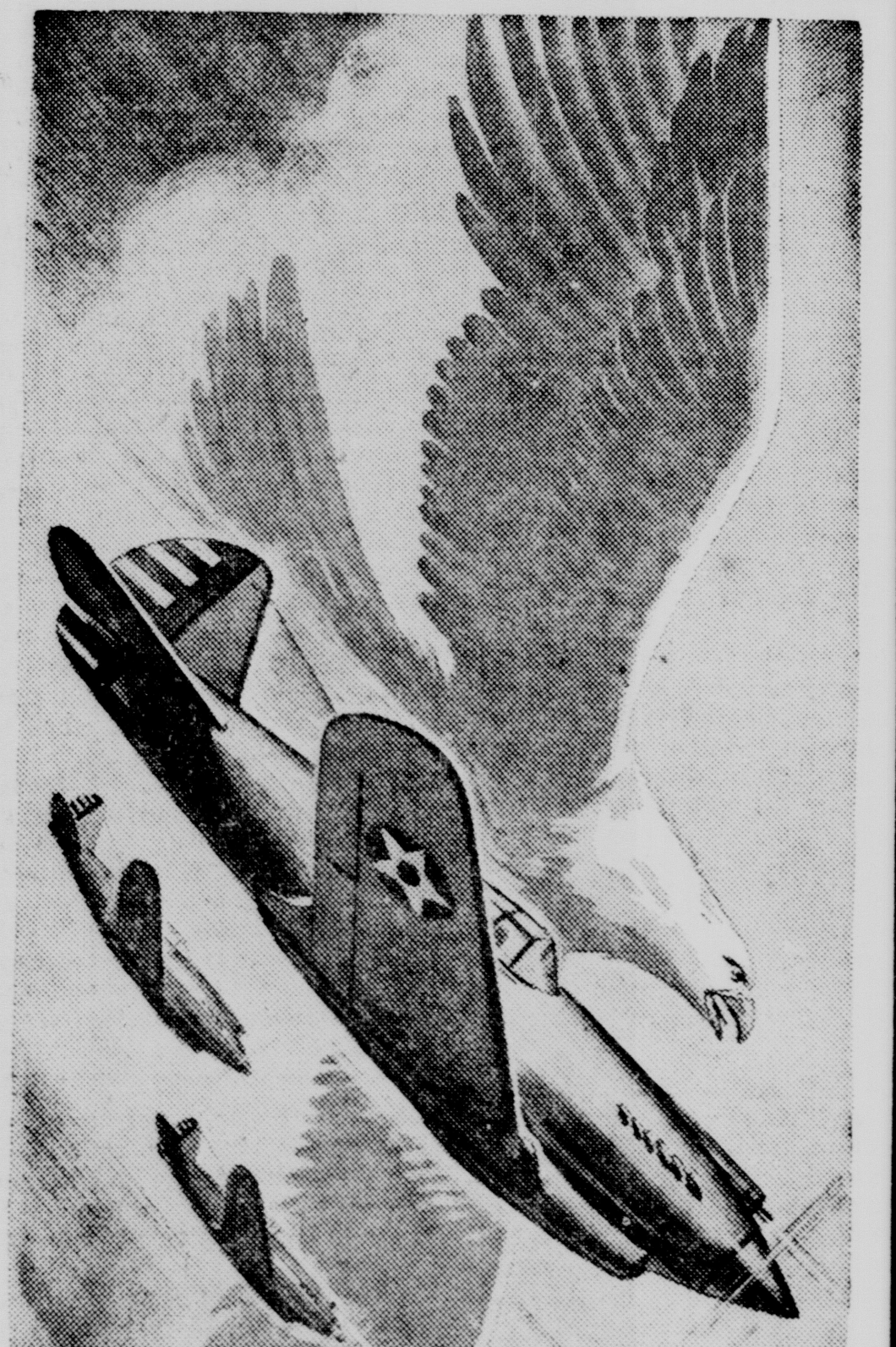
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A Breakfast Starts The Boy Scout Drive

Food For Defense Meeting Held At C. N. Moore Home Mrs. R. E. KERBY

James McKinney, field executive of the Lake of the Ozarks Council of Boy Scouts of America, was in town Tuesday making plans for an "Early Bird Breakfast" which was served at the Gillock Cafe Wednesday morning. The object of this get together was to plan a drive for funds to operate the Lake of the Ozarks Council for the coming year. Those attending the breakfast were Bon O. Burk, H. L. McCune, Ray O'Dell, Paul Smith, B. F. Parker, Lyman Littlefield, Rev. F. L. Getz, Dr. W. E. Walker, P. S. Craig, Kenneth Rogers, Bruce Allen and Marion Crawford.

A Food for Defense meeting was held at the home of Mrs. C. N. Moore Thursday afternoon. J. U. Morris and Miss Dorothy Bacon, assisted by their co-workers, Mr. Asling and Miss Deering gave some valuable instruction on the raising of and preservation of vegetables and fruits. At the conclusion of the program Miss Bacon and Miss Deering sponsored the preparation and serving of some palatable food.

The pie and box supper held at the high school auditorium Friday night, February 13 for the benefit of the school band was well attended and a large sum was realized. The various concessions and contests proved very entertaining and in the contest for queen, Helen Bernice Price, a freshman candidate was chosen.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stewart very quietly celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Wednesday. They were married near Ava, Mo. February 19, 1917. At that time Mr. Stewart was assistant station agent at Knob Noster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Emphson and daughter, Delores of Los Angeles, California, are visiting Mrs. Emphson's mother, Mrs. W. T. Gambelin and Mr. Gambelin. Last Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Gambelin had as guests Mrs. Gambelin's son, Gilbert Shisler and wife of Sweet Springs.

Kenneth Stewart, who attends the University of Missouri at Columbia, spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Patrick were parents of a six pound baby still born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Patrick Tuesday morning. Burial was in the La Monte cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Eubank and little son and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Yeater left Monday for the state of California where they expect to make their home.

Mrs. Claire Files left Thursday morning for San Francisco, Calif., to join her husband, who is a second class printer in the U. S. navy. Mr. Files was editor of the LaMonte Record before joining the navy.

The following teachers from this community attended the meeting of teachers and school board members held at the Central Missouri State Teachers College in Warrensburg Friday. Misses Mary Ellen Ripley, Wilma Hill, Tessie Purnell, Jewell Taylor, Velma Sparks, Nadine Fisher, Elsie and Ann Peterman, Edna Buffon, Mesdames Dorothy Cull, John Blumm, Lucille Waybright and Thomas McKeenan.

Miss Hazel Deane Wicker of Houstonia was the week end guest of Miss Mary Ellen Ripley.

Rev. C. I. Phipps, who was called to Springfield last Thursday by the illness of his mother, Mrs. D. G. Phipps, who had been taken to the Ozark Osteopathic hospital, arrived home Saturday and was in charge of the usual services at the Methodist church on Sunday, returning to Springfield Monday morning.

A number of members of the Willing Workers of the Methodist church school of which Mrs. W. B. Lehmer is teacher enjoyed a social meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bolton on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Emma O'Bannon left on Saturday for St. Louis for a visit with the family of her granddaughter, Mrs. Ray Swank.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Granlasky left Friday evening for La Salle, Illinois, for a week's visit with relatives. Mr. Granlasky is a sheetmetal worker in the coach shop.

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Many C.B.C. Students Finish Training And Find Employment

The following students of Central Business College, Sedalia, have either been placed or accepted office positions in and away from Sedalia during the last few days:

Miss Bethene Branson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay L. Branson of Russellville, Mo., with the Hallmark Card Co. of Kansas City, Mo.; Miss Helen Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller of California, Mo.; with the City National Bank of Kansas City; Miss Mary Belle Farmer, daughter of Mrs. James Farmer of Smithton, Mo., with the Morgan Optical Manufacturing Co., of Kansas City; Miss Phyllis Bapple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bapple of San Dimas, California, with the Pomona Pump Co. of San Dimas, California.

Raymond West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Basil West of Holden, Mo., accepted a position with the Veterans' Bureau, War Department, Washington, D. C.; Miss Florence Reedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Reedy, of Knob Noster, Mo., with the Columbia Ribbon and Carbon Co., of Kansas City.

Locally Miss Frances Milburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Milburn, of Clarksburg, Mo., and Miss Eva Mosby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Mosby of West Line, Mo., accepted positions with the Rice Hatchery of Sedalia.

Shops And Rails

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rapp and sons, Bobby and Donald, are spending the week end visiting relatives in Jefferson City. Mr. Rapp is layman in the mill at the local shops.

Misses Martha Jean and Ruth Welch, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Welch are spending the week end visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. Welch is a painter helper.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McPherson are spending a week's vacation visiting relatives in Wichita, Kas. He is a carman apprentice.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Lietzer have been in Salina, Kas., the past ten days account of the sudden death of a relative. Mr. Lietzer is employed in the store department at the shops.

Miss Alma Wise, daughter of John Wise, laborer in the coach shop, returned home last week from Monmouth, Ill., where she spent several days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Woolery are spending the week end visiting relatives in Herrington, Kas. Mr. Woolery is a machinist apprentice.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Landes are spending the week end visiting in Kansas City. He is a boilermaker apprentice.

Chas. Hula, coach carpenter, is spending the week end visiting his family in Plattsmouth, Nebr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Walker and Mrs. Levena Demmon left Saturday for Neodesha, Kansas, for a visit with relatives. Before returning home Mr. Walker will visit with his mother near Ft. Smith, Ark. Mr. Walker is a sheetmetal worker at the local shops.

Mrs. Geo. Hull, wife of coach carpenter, will leave today for Dallas, Texas, for a visit with relatives for a few days.

Missouri Pacific pay day will be Feb. 26th according to a bulletin posted last week.

On account of Monday, Feb. 23, 1942, being a legal holiday, all departments of Sedalia shops will be closed on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weyant are taking a week's vacation and will spend it visiting relatives in Colorado Springs, Colo. Mr. Weyant is a coach carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parsley are spending a week's vacation visiting relatives in Mission, Texas. Mr. Parsley is a carman in the coach shop.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Landers left Saturday for a week's visit with relatives in Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Landers is a carman in the gang in the coach shop.

Glenn Thomason, floor crane operator, left Saturday for a week's vacation in Jacksonville, Illinois.

L. D. Curry, coach carpenter, is taking a week's vacation and accompanied by Mrs. Curry will visit relatives in Kansas City.

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Carnival And Dance Is Given By Civic Club

Book Club Has Meeting With Mrs. Lundquist

Members of the Warsaw Civic club sponsored a Valentine dance and carnival Saturday night at the Community building. Proceeds to be used to buy equipment for the kitchen at the Community building and for civic projects in the town. Mrs. Dale Holloway, the president, appointed committees for the arrangement. The building was decorated in red hearts and the Valentine motif was carried out. The basketball throw and horse race attracted much attention. Music for the dance was furnished by the Warsaw Swingsters.

Miss Eloise Boring, a teacher in the Fredericktown school system and Kathleen Boring, a student at business college, in Kansas City, spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Boring.

Mrs. Willard Glenn was hostess to members of the Young Matrons club at her home last Friday afternoon. Eleven members were present. The afternoon was spent in knitting for the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Young of Warrensburg spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Holloway and attended the Valentine dance and Carnival at the Community building Saturday night.

Marvin Mitchener, 59, passed away at his home in Frisco, Friday, February 13. He is survived by his wife, two sisters, Mrs. Mettie Holley of Waterford, Calif., and Mrs. Emma Vannoy of Frisco, two half brothers, James Mitchener and Thomas Mitchener of Frisco. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Frisco Baptist church, with Rev. Wayne Jones of Ash Grove officiating. Burial was in the cemetery there. Pallbearers were: William Trippe, Ray Ingram, Robert Tucker, Lloyd Tucker, Clarence Mitchener and Guy Tucker of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Mitchener lived in Warsaw for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Swensen and daughter Sylvia of Kansas City spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Bohling and sister, Miss Opal Bohling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burton and son Eddie of Kansas City spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burton and other relatives.

Mrs. V. A. Lundquist was hostess to the McCormick Book club at her home Monday night to their annual Valentine party and Book club review. The president, Mrs. E. R. Scott, reviewed, "Psychology of Personal Adjustment," by Fred McKinney. The Valentine motif was carried out. After the review bridge was played with high award going to Mrs. Scott and second award to Miss Ruth Rucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Holloway and son of Lexington and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wells of Platte City spent the weekend here with their mother, Mrs. Chessie Holloway and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Holloway.

Mrs. Arthur Constance entertained Monday at her home after school in honor of the seventh birthday anniversary of her daughter Agnes. Games were enjoyed and lovely refreshments were served. Guests were her teacher, Miss Lois Lindsey and students in her room at school.

Among those from here who attended the Evangelistic Conference and heard Dr. George W. Truett preach at the First Baptist church in Sedalia Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday were: Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Mustain and children, Kenneth and Carolyn, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Wagner, Mesdames, Glen Breese, R. B. Petts, F. M. Brady, G. S. Kirby, John M. Gibbons, J. S. Phillips, J. R. Riddle, Lee Hurt, T. F. Feaster, Donald Turpin, Ivan Phillips, Ed. Bennett, J. A. Atkins, and Miss Gladys Iiams.

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Sedalia Girl A Bride

Married To Sedalian



Mrs. Keith "Duke" Stivers, formerly Miss Mary Ethel McGowan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McGowan. She was married in St. Charles recently and the couple are making their home there.



Mrs. Edgar V. Seifers, the former Miss Pauline Patterson, daughter of Judge and Mrs. C. A. Patterson, Joplin, Mo., and Mrs. Seifers are at home at 305 East Sixth street. She was married February 14.

Engagement Announced

Married Last Saturday



Miss Maurine Bidstrup, Clifton City, who will marry Lieutenant Charles J. Prall, of Chicago, in the near future.



Mrs. Charles F. Pahlow, who until her marriage Saturday was Miss Bernice Elliott, of Green Ridge.

Married At U. S. Army Quarters



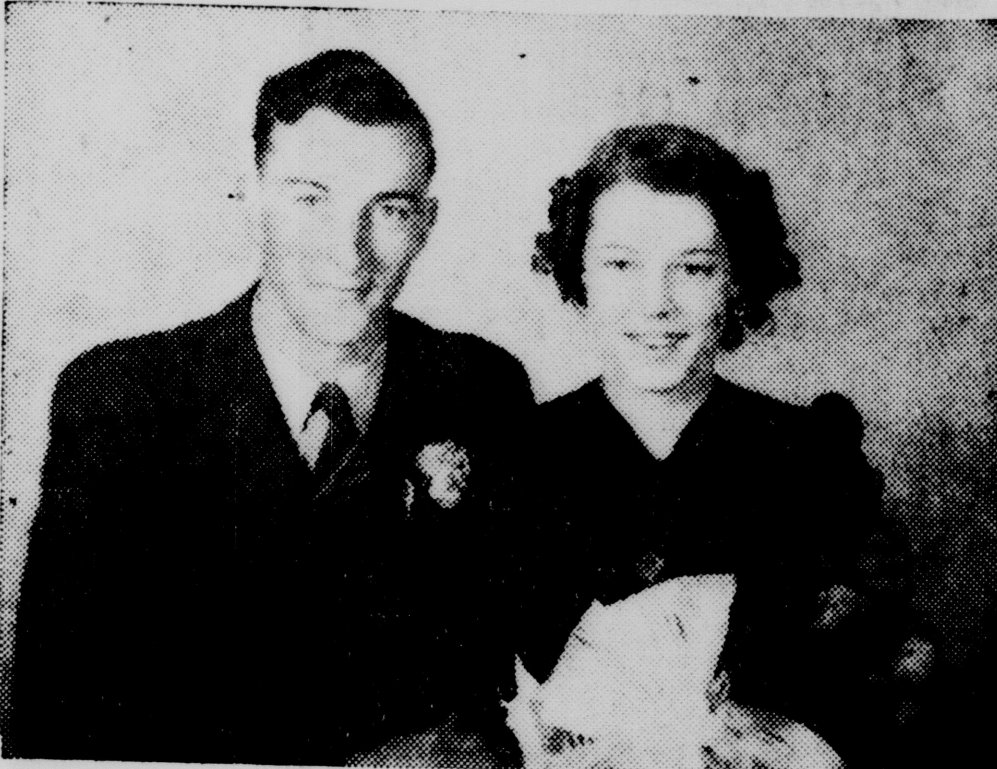
Mrs. Charles Aaron Jenkins, Jr., the former Miss Gail Allee, of Wadsworth, Kansas. She was married to Lieutenant Jenkins, of Fort Riley, Kas., son of Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, of Sedalia, Saturday evening, February 7, at the quarters of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Gail Darwin Allee, U. S. Veterans facility, Wadsworth, Kas., where Dr. Allee is chief surgeon.

Will Marry Next Month



Miss Muriel Virginia Vaughan, whose engagement to Staff Sergeant Thomas A. McThy, of Florida, has been announced.

Married In Versailles



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth G. Sattler, of Versailles, the latter the former Miss Evelyn D. Evans, of Gravois Mills. They were married Sunday afternoon, February 15.

Will Review Life Early Politician-Painter

Missouri's politician-painter of the nineteenth century, George Caleb Bingham, will be the subject of Albert Christ-Janer, head of the art department of Stephens college, Columbia, who will present the Sorosis program Monday afternoon at the Heard Memorial clubhouse.

Mr. Christ-Janer is author of a recent biography, "George Caleb Bingham of Missouri." His work on the book, which deals principally with the nineteenth century Missouri which Bingham painted, that suggested paintings of his own to Christ-Janer. In the summer of 1941 he traveled by automobile through Missouri and portrayed on canvas some of the places surviving from Bingham's time as they appear today.

This group of paintings, dealing with small towns of Missouri,

particularly in the Missouri river country, went on exhibition tour the succeeding fall. Some of these pictures will be exhibited at the program Monday.

Mary of Bingham's paintings depicted Missouri political scenes of a century ago, comparable in theme to the work of the present-day Thomas Hart Benton. Bingham knew the bitterness of politics, for he was a politician most of his life. Although he was born on a Virginia plantation, he came to Missouri as a small boy, and spent most of his years at Franklin, Arrow Rock, Columbia and Booneville, with long stays in St. Louis, where he made his living as a portrait painter. He died in 1879.

During his lecture on George Caleb Bingham, Mr. Christ-Janer will display several of the early

artist's paintings. The speaker has been engaged by the Civics Department of Sorosis, of which Mrs. A. L. Walter is chairman.

The program will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Mary McGrath, a student at St. Louis University, are spending the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath. They were accompanied to Sedalia Friday night by Miss May McGrath, Mrs. Roy Solari, and Miss Mary Jane Selkirk, of St. Louis, who will also be guests in the McGrath home, and Miss Patty Quinn of Maryville College, who is spending the week end with her mother, Mrs. Joseph S. Quinn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Connelly, 217 West Seventh street, were happy to have their son, Sergeant Jack Connelly and his bride who have been in Fresno, Calif., arrive for a visit last Sunday. Sergeant Connelly could stay only until Tuesday morning, when he left for his new assignment, at Will Rogers Field, Okla. Mrs.

Three Artists To Be Presented In Recital

The Helen G. Steele Music club will present three artists, Miss Eleanor Shockey, soprano, of Columbia, Ralph Guenther, flutist, of Sedalia, and Abe Rosenthal, violinist and conductor of the Sedalia Symphony orchestra, in a recital at 8 o'clock Wednesday night at the Heard Memorial clubhouse.

A dinner in honor of the artists will be served at the clubhouse promptly at 6 o'clock, and will be open to members only. Reservations should be made by Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Shockey is a voice instructor at Christian college, and had previously taught at Central Missouri State Teachers' college at Warrensburg. Last year she was a soprano soloist at a choral

cantata presented by Stanley Deacon of the Kansas City conservatory of music. Her accompanist, Miss Margaret Buehler, also is a member of the Christian college faculty.

Mr. Guenther is head of instrumental music in the Sedalia public schools and is director of the Smith-Cotton high school orchestra and band. This is his first year in Sedalia. He formerly taught at the Butler high school.

An accomplished flutist, Mr. Guenther has been a notable addition to the Sedalia symphony orchestra.

Mr. Rosenthal is one of Sedalia's outstanding musical leaders, and he has distinguished himself as conductor of the symphony which he has led through several seasons. His early musical education was attained in Canada and when he came to Sedalia some years ago it was his fondest hope that a symphony orchestra could be organized here.

The orchestra, now well established and known for the merits of its performances, will present the third concert of the 1941-42 series Thursday night at the Smith-Cotton high school auditorium.

Although he is most frequently seen on the podium, Mr. Rosenthal also is recognized as a talented violinist.

Mrs. Guenther will accompany her husband and Mr. Rosenthal in their numbers.

The program will be as follows: Polonaise and Badinage—Bach. Pan and the Birds—Mouquet. Concertino—Chaminade.

Ralph Guenther. Alleluja—Mozart. Deh vieni non tarda ("The Marriage of Figaro")—Mozart. La Danza—Rossini. Charming Oiseau ("La Perle du Bresil")—David.

Eleanor Shockey. Flute obligato, Ralph Guenther.

Sarabande—Carl Bohm. Ave Maria—Schubert. Intermezzo—Prevost.

Abe Rosenthal. Pastoral—La Forge. The Lamplighter—Coryell.

Little Butterfly—Chopin-Sandval. Old Mother Hubbard (set in the manner of Handel)—Hely-Hutchinson.

Eleanor Shockey. Sonata in C—Bach. Rondo—Mozart.

Suite—Cesar Cui. Abe Rosenthal. Ralph Guenther.

Mrs. Ralph Guenther. Sing, Smile, Slumber—Gounod. Eleanor Shockey.

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Guests will be permitted at the recital.

Society and Club

Mrs. Howard Roberts and Mrs. Eugene V. Walker were hostesses at a pretty party at the Country Club Saturday afternoon, when they entertained thirty-one women at a bridge-luncheon.

The luncheon was served at one large table, T shaped. It was covered with a white cloth, and the center piece was a bouquet of red, white and blue carnations. Flags in miniature logs were also table decorations, and the patriotic theme, honoring George Washington's birthday was carried out.

Mrs. Raymond Goddard, 406 South Quincy avenue, was hostess to a number of friends at her home, at a buffet supper, Thursday evening. The patriotic theme was carried out in the decorations, flags, candles, cake and in the awards in the Liverpool rummy which were small flags on flag poles.

The awards in the rummy game went to Miss Catherine Riner and Miss Helen Donnelly.

Mrs. Goddard's guests were, Miss Riner, Miss Donnelly, Mrs. Alveus Bradley, of Windsor, formerly Miss Marie Waddill, of this city, Miss Milla Swearingen, Miss Linnie Swearingen, Mrs. Ora L. Stephens, Miss Ann Sawford, Mrs. Mildred Faulkner, Mrs. Dinmitt Hoffman, Mrs. Frank Jones, Miss Maude Saunders, Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Miss Hazel Gray and Miss Margaret Baple.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Vaughan announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Muriel Virginia, to Staff Sergeant Thomas A. McCarthy, of Sebring Florida, son of M. D. J. McCarthy, U. S. N.

The marriage will take place Tuesday, March 24.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bidstrup, of Clifton City, announce the engagement of their daughter Maurine, to Lieutenant Charles J. Prall, of Chicago, son of Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Prall, of Gilliam.

The marriage will take place the last of this month.

A quiet wedding took place at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in Versailles, at the Methodist church, when Miss Evelyn D. Evans, of Gravois Mills, became the bride of Kenneth G. Sattler. The Rev. Val B. Strader, pastor of the Methodist church officiated. The bridesmaid was Miss Eva Faye Lees, of Versailles, and the bride's brother, Junior Evans, was best man. Preceding the ceremony Misses Lenora and Nelda Sattler, sisters of the bridegroom sang "Yours" with guitar accompaniment.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Evans, of Gravois Mills, and the bridegroom a son of

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sattler, of Versailles.

Attending the wedding were, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merriott and daughter, Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sattler and four daughters, Lenora, Nelda, Peggy Jean, Laura Fern, and son Wallace, Mrs. Harlan Lees and Warren Berkstresser, all of Versailles. Mrs. Merriott is a sister of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. "Duke" Stivers, a bride and bridegroom, the latter the former Miss Mary Ethel McGowan, who were married recently in St. Charles, are here to spend the weekend with Mrs. Stivers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McGowan, 1111 West Sixth street. They are living in St. Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Casdorff, of 507 East Fifth street, entertained relatives and friends at their home Sunday in honor of Mrs. Casdorff's aunt, Mrs. Julia Bremer, who was 80 years of age, February 14.

All came with well filled baskets and at the noon hour a cake was presented by Mrs. H. A. Bremer which when cut played the tune of "Happy Birthday." Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bremer, Mr. and Mrs. Hersel Bremer and son "Dicky", Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Rumpf, Mrs. Lena Brauer and son Carol, Mrs. August Bremer, Mrs. H. W. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. George Semkin and family, Harman Bremer, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bremer and Norma Jean, Mrs. Earl Bremer and children, Ben Oehrke, Miss Eunice Semkin, Glenn and Eugent Semkin, Cleo Casdorff and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Casdorff.

Miss Josephine Davis of Sedalia and Mr. William L. Kraft of Hughesville were quietly married February 11, at noon at the parsonage by Rev. J. F. King, pastor of the First Methodist church, of Sedalia. The couple was attended by Miss Florence Kraft and Mr. Robert McCurdy, both of Hughesville.

Miss Davis, now Mrs. Kraft, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and has been employed as a beauty operator for a number of years. Mr. Kraft is a son of Mrs. William F. Kraft and is a well-known farmer of the Hughesville community.

The couple left for a brief honeymoon to Springfield, and then before returning home visited the bride's mother at Frisco, and the groom's sister and family in Rock Island, Ill.

They are now at home at 108 South Prospect avenue.

The marriage of Miss Bernice L. Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett J. Elliott of Green Ridge, and Charles F. Pahlow,

son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pahlow of Sedalia, took place at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist church in Sedalia with the Rev. Nelson Reagan reading the ceremony in the presence of close friends and relatives.

The attendants were, Miss Arvella Barrow and Bennie Pahlow, brother of the bridegroom.

A dress of medium blue shade was worn by the bride, and her accessories were in black. Her flowers were a corsage of gardenias. Miss Barrow wore a light blue dress, with black accessories and a gardenia corsage.

After March 1 Mr. and Mrs. Pahlow will be at home in the Camp Branch neighborhood.

The junior division of the DeWitt Junior club will meet in Miss Mabel DeWitt's studio Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program will be given by the following pupils: Patrick Bratten, Patricia Denny, Mary Janssen, Betty Yvonne Ellsworth, Jimmy Fender, Elenora Wolfel, Winifred Graham, Anita Isgur, Marjorie Liebel, Eva Ann McNeel, Sarah Morrow, Janet Quinn, Dorothy Towner and Ruth Ann Yunker.

Mr. and Mrs. Burney R. Butler, of St. Joseph, formerly of Sedalia are week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Green, Jr., of 606½ South Grand avenue.

Saturday morning Mrs. Green honored Mrs. Butler with a small breakfast. Her guests were: Mrs. Butler, Mrs. C. A. Miller, Mrs. J. F. Van Osdel, Mrs. Don Davenport, Mrs. C. A. Wright, Mrs. Paul Hedderich, Mrs. Arthur Powers, Mrs. Frank W. Hayes, Mrs. E. L. Spangler, Mrs. Allan Brandon and her mother, Mrs. Riplinger of St. Joseph.

Mrs. Homer Hall entertained with a six o'clock dinner at her home, 1716 South Missouri avenue Friday night in celebration of the birthday of Mrs. Ola Hann, of Fortuna, who is visiting relatives and friends here.

Table decorations were in pastel shades with a decorated birthday cake as the centerpiece.

Mrs. Hann received numerous presents.

The evening was spent in Liverpool rummy, in which honors were claimed by Mrs. J. H. Boettger and Mrs. Hann.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Searcy Ridge, of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vandiver, of Columbia, the latter a sister of Mrs. E. M. Stafford, Jr., are guests at a week end house party at Cliff House, on the Bothwell estate, north of Sedalia.

Attending also are the hosts and hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Philip McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stafford, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John G. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cloney II.

D. A. R. Dinner Guests At Country Club Friday Night



Top: Seated at the head table at a dinner, given by members of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the Country club Friday night are shown: Left to right, Miss Nina Harris, Mrs. Frank S. Leach, regent, D. S. Lamm, Mrs. Harry Lindstrom, Miss Lelia Shortridge and Miss Lura McCluney; Right: three members who appeared in a skit, in costume, left to right, Mrs. Lindstrom, Mrs. Elza Berry and Mrs. A. J. Campbell.

The shawl worn by Mrs. Berry belongs to her mother, Mrs. W. E. Hurlbut, and is over 100 years old, and the parasol, which came from England, and is over 160 years old, is known as a carriage parasol and is owned by Mrs. P. K. Strole. Mrs. Lindstrom is wearing a shawl, also over a century old, the property of Mrs. Asa Elliott, and Mrs. Campbell is wearing one that is the property of Mrs. W. H. Powell. The little hats are all owned by Mrs. Hurlbut.

Connelly remained, and will be here until Monday or Tuesday of this week.

Saturday evening Mrs. Connelly was honor guest at a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Connelly, with Mr. and Mrs. George Connelly and family, of Sedalia, and Mrs. Vern McNeil, Mr. McNeil and their daughter, Peggy, of Kansas City, as guests.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Wagner, of 225 South Missouri avenue, announce the marriage of their son, Oscar, to Miss Myra Isabel Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Baker of Palatine, Illinois.

The couple was married at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Morris of Palatine by the Rev. Theo Potter of the Methodist Episcopal church.

A buffet supper was served after the wedding to relatives and friends, after which the couple left for Chicago where they are at home at 5514 Blackstone avenue.

The bride is employed in the comptroller's office of the University of Chicago. Mr. Wagner was recently promoted to city ticket agent for the Denver and Rio Grande railroad in Chicago.

The Fortnightly Book club will meet at 2:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Minnie Shaffer, 225 South Vermont avenue. Roll call will be by quotations in tribute to George Washington. The club will also have a George Washington program.

Mrs. Matt H. Holtzen entertained with a dessert bridge Friday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Holtzen, in Smithton.

Her guests were: Mrs. W. H. Croley, Mrs. C. R. Pitt, Mrs. A. M. Mawrer, Mrs. T. J. Bruce, Mrs. R. L. Settles, Mrs. Clyde Swafford, all of Sedalia, Mrs. Homer Homan, of Smithton and Mrs. Bentley, of Kansas City.

Honors in the bridge game went to Mrs. Pitt and Mrs. Croley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Whiteman, and son, of 1515 South Stewart avenue, are spending a few days in Coffeyville, Kas., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stratton.

Meetings In Homes Of FSA Families Held

Early Preparation For Producing And Canning Foods

Meetings of all Farm Security borrowers in Pettis county are being held this month in the homes of FSA families to start work on the new FSA Food for Freedom goals. Miss Virginia Lee Slusher, Home Management Supervisor for this county is urging all Farm Security homesteaders to check their supply of fruit jars in preparation for a heavy canning schedule this summer.

Goals for home production of food have been raised to meet the war production levels asked by the United States Department of Agriculture and in cooperation with the USDA War Boards, according to Miss Slusher. The established minimum goal of 80 quarts of fruit and vegetables per person has been raised to increase the canning to the extent of an extra half year's supply, on the basis of 80 quarts for one year. The extra cans of food will constitute a reserve to take care of drought, flood, or other crops disasters; lend-lease purchases for shipment to our allies; possible rationing of purchased food supplies; or transportation difficulties.

Farm Security families also are being asked to store 10 bushels of fruit and vegetables per person, to use 90 gallons of milk per person, produce sufficient eggs and poultry, and provide some syrup, sorghum or honey from the farm.

Time To Begin
To meet these goals it will be necessary to begin at once," Miss Slusher says. "That's why homesteaders are urged to get canning equipment ready now. FSA families who do not have enough jars to can a year and a half supply per person are helped at the meetings in planning to obtain them.

Guests At Surprise Birthday Party For Mary Rogers



The above group of young high school girls very pleasantly surprised Miss Mary Rogers, at her home, on her eighteenth birthday. They are from left to right: front row, June Thompson, Imogene Cline, Ruth Wasson, Elleta Wheeler; center row, left to right, Doris Mae Russell, Elizabeth Mehl, Betty Lou Kullman, Mary Rogers, the honoree, Joann Moore, Genevieve Richardson, Gertrude Colvin; top row, left to right, Vera Morton, Vesta Elliott, Deane Thompson, June Wagner, Nadine Speiser, Doris Jean Hardin.

Possibilities for cooperative buying are being considered.

"The homemaker who has an adequate supply of jars ready for use will can much more than the one who puts off getting needed supplies until the last minute," Miss Slusher says. "Women have done their part in every great period of American history, and we do not expect to fail on these Food for Freedom goals."

"All patriotic farm families are being urged to produce their food at home so that tons and tons of food which otherwise they would purchase will be released for the army and navy, for defense workers and to help our allies. This program will not only help the country but will help each family that cooperates by giving them better health and by saving them money," Miss Slusher points out.

Artist-Biographer



Albert Christ-Janer, head of the art department at Stephens College, will speak on George Caleb Bingham, Missouri's politician-painter of a century ago, at the Sorosis meeting Monday afternoon at the Heard Memorial clubhouse. Christ-Janer, a recognized artist himself, is author of a biography of Bingham.

Economics Club Holds Meeting

The Hillview Home Economics Extension club met at the home of the vice-president, Mrs. William Stockhurst. Hostesses and leaders for each month were appointed by Mrs. Sid Johnson, club president.

Reports were given by the treasurer, Mrs. Floyd Thomason, and Mrs. R. L. McCoy spoke on the club finances and 4-H club activities. The organization served lunch at a sale last week making a nice profit.

Miss Margaret Murphy and Miss Alice Alexander gave a meat canning demonstration at the home of Mrs. R. L. McCoy, and also served a delicious luncheon.

The members will continue Red Cross sewing as soon as material is received. The club will sponsor a play to be given in Hughesville in the near future.

A sewing machine mending demonstration will be given at the next meeting and the members will assemble quilt blocks also.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. M. Crago on Friday, March 13.

Club Discusses Making Cakes

The Olive Branch Ever Ready club met Wednesday with Mrs. Charles Combs, Mrs. Andrew Musslin a special visitor.

During the morning a comfort was made according to the county wide comfort making program. Mrs. Arthur Peoples supervised.

At noon the usual "pitch in" dinner was shared with the husbands who were helping Mr. Combs chop wood.

The subject of the afternoon meeting was "Cakes and Frostings." Mrs. Jack Hays has charge of the devotional. A total of 28 books were reported read.

The subject of the March meeting will be "Gardens." It will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry C. Spangler.

Dividend Is Declared By Crown Drug Company

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Crown Drug company, a dividend of five cents a share was declared on the common stock, payable April 27 to stockholders of record April 15. T. L. Evans, president, announces. The meeting was held in Kansas City February 19.

Plan Now For Your Garden

"Plan your gardens now!"

That is the advice offered public assistance clients in a poster prepared and distributed by the State Social Security Commission announcing the availability of free seed to those needy families who are willing to grow their own vegetables this spring and summer.

Purchase of the seed was authorized at the February meeting of the state commission. It will be issued by the surplus commodity storerooms on order of county social security offices.

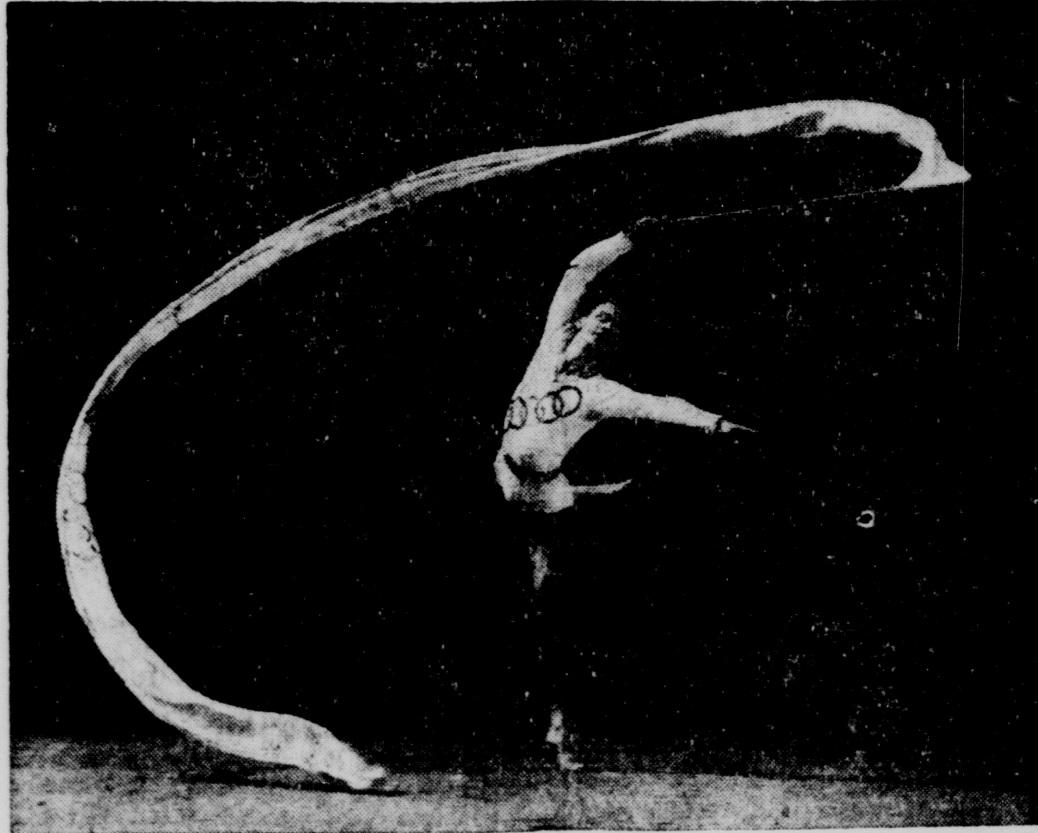
The poster is ornamented with a likeness of Uncle Sam, and bears the slogan: "Help your country by helping meet your own food needs."

The following suggestions are made for the benefit of public assistance recipients:

1. Choose a garden plot now.
2. Study your food needs in proportion to the size of your family.
3. Inform yourself on relative food values and balanced diets.
4. Learn good gardening methods.
5. Ask your county social security office for free gardening manual, "The Family Vegetable Garden."

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To Dance Here Thursday Night



Barton Mumaw, great American dancer, shown in his dance, "The Banner Bearer," with which he will open his part of the program at the Sedalia Symphony orchestra concert Thursday night at the Smith-Cotton high school auditorium. The artists' committee of the orchestra has been particularly fortunate in securing Mumaw for an engagement here. Known as the American Nijinsky, the dancer appeared before packed houses at Carnegie Music hall in New York in four solo dance recitals in the spring of 1941, receiving ovations at each performance. Since his debut there as a solo artist, he has been on tour throughout the country. Previously, Mumaw was with the Ted Shawn dancers.

Additional Society

The Pettis So-Mor Circle will have an all day meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. C. Bell, 100 West Tenth street, with the following assisting hostesses, Mrs. John Staabli, Mrs. Margaret Quinn, Mrs. Ed Bybee, Mrs. J. B. Hancock, Mrs. Andy Berry.

Judge Robert E. Ferguson, 612 West Fifth street is celebrating his 94th birthday at his home today. A dinner, with goose as the main dish, is being served to the judge and his children. Those attending are: Dr. Robert L. Ferguson, Arkansas City, Kas., W. E. Ferguson and Mrs. Ferguson, Green Ridge; C. E. Palmer and Mrs. Palmer, Hughesville, Ira Thomas and Mrs. Thomas and son, Bunceton.

Green Ridge

The February meeting of the Christian Endeavor council met Wednesday evening at the manse.

At 6 o'clock a covered dish luncheon was served. Following the lunch Mrs. D. A. Moore led the young people in a council meeting. A social hour followed.

The third lesson of the Red Cross training school was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Ragar. A demonstration on caring for a bedfast patient was given.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Elliot were hosts at a dinner at their farm home last Sunday, honoring their following children, Mrs. Charles Pahlow and Mr. Pahlow who were married on Saturday, Mrs. Rolly Sanders and Mr. Sanders of Beaumont who were celebrating their eighth wedding anniversary, and Mrs. Marvin Sanders and Mr. Sanders who are moving to Alma.

Mrs. Oland Gillilan and daughter Judith Ann, left Monday for their home in St. Louis, after spending a week with their parents, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ream. They were accompanied by Mrs. Harold Hausam of St. Charles who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Helmana.

Dean Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee was sent to Great Lakes Naval training station according to a letter received by his mother on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Purchase was hostess on Thursday to the Triple F club, at her home. Needlework was the diversion of the afternoon.

A concert by the Green Ridge high school was given Friday night in the auditorium of the school building. The music was under the direction of Miss Ann Seelye.

Junior Dowdy left Tuesday for St. Louis, from which place he will be sent for service in the U. S. merchant marines. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Mowan Dowdy of Green Ridge.

Mrs. Loy Smith returned to her home west of Green Ridge Tuesday night. She had been spending a month with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wadleigh, of Beaumont, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Anderson of Kansas City, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Griegley.

Russell Ream, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ream, who suffered injuries in the recent accident near Montgomery City in which his wife and a cousin, Laddie Ream and Leslie Brown were killed, was brought to his home in Green Ridge Saturday. His condition is reported as improved.

Lieutenant Russell Miller, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Baker, who with his wife and daughter Judith Ann arrived in Green Ridge two weeks ago has been sent with his regiment to the state of California. Mrs. Miller and daughter will be with her parents for the duration of the war.

Miss Ruth Page, teacher of Lone Elm school spent the weekend in Warrensburg visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Stanton Elliott and Mr. Elliott.

W. P. Hurley To Attend Coming Convention

W. P. Hurley, Sedalia representative of the State Farm Automobile Insurance Co. of Bloomington, Ill., will leave today for Chicago to attend a company convention. Mr. Hurley has been notified, that again this year he has qualified for the "300 Club," top production recognition.

Child Has Ten Living Grandparents

Terry Lyle, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Steele Jr., residing at 1620 East Sixteenth street, has ten living grandparents. They are: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Steele, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mosby. The great grand parents are: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Mosby.

and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scruggs. The mother of the baby was formerly Miss Maxine Mosby.

Birth Is Announced
Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Connelly, 217 West Seventh street, have received word of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hodge, of St. Louis, born on February 16.

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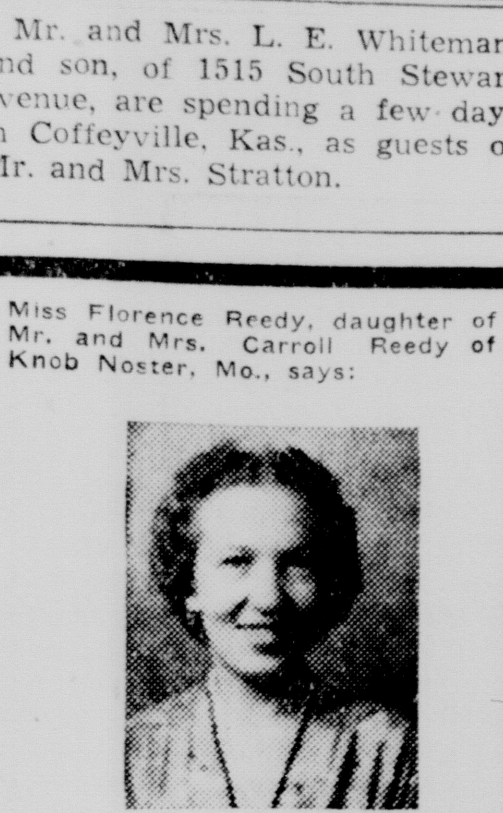
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C. F. Scotten Tells Of Trip To Arator PTA

The Arator Parent-Teacher Association met February 10, called to order by the president, Mrs. Joe Youngkamp.

C. F. Scotten was the speaker, telling of a trip he took through ten states.

The program was known as "Dad's Night" and the refreshments were served by the men.

Visitor Is Seriously Ill

Mrs. M. J. Perry, of Southwest City, Mo., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Henderson, of 315 West Tenth street, is seriously ill.

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• Obituaries

Mrs. Mary Jane Perry
Mrs. Mary Jane Perry, 82, mother of Mrs. Arthur Henderson, passed away at 315 West Tenth street, about 4:15 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The body was taken to the Gillespie Funeral Home, and late Saturday night was taken to Southwest City, Missouri, where funeral services will be held.

Mrs. Grace Helen Roe

Mrs. Grace Helen Roe, wife of O. L. Roe, passed away at the family home 1315 South Lamine avenue about 9:45 o'clock Saturday night.

Mrs. Roe was born in Morgan county September 24, 1872, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bennett C. Ivy. She was married to O. L. Roe on December 10, 1893 and they celebrated their forty eighth wedding anniversary last December.

Surviving is her husband of the family home. A son Forrest Roe passed away several years ago.

The body is at Gillespie Funeral Home.

Charter Night Be Observed By Rotary

The Sedalia Rotary club will celebrate its twentieth anniversary Monday night at the Bothwell Hotel. An inspirational program has been prepared and Rotarians from five, or six, nearby clubs will be present to participate.

Charter members and their wives will be honored, as well as, all past presidents.

Colonel W. B. Wikoff, past district governor, will be the toastmaster. Several other past governors and Governor James Shannon, Springfield, Mo. will be present.

Brother of G. W. Foster Dies

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Foster, of 815 West Fourth street were called to Monroe, La., by the death of Mr. Foster's brother. Burial will be at Decatur, Ala., the Foster's old home. Mr. Foster is a machinist at the Missouri Pacific shops.

Birth Of a Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McDowell, 1206 South Montauk avenue, are parents of a daughter, born at the Bothwell hospital, Friday.

Additional Society

At 8 o'clock last night, at the home of Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church, Miss Rama Jeanne Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Matthews, 1108 South Montauk avenue, became the bride of Mr. Earl Blaylock, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blaylock, of Beaman.

The bride's attendant was Mrs. Lenora Clements, sister of the bridegroom, and his attendant was his brother, Frank Blaylock, of Kansas City.

Others attending were, Miss Dorothy Herndon, Miss Dixie Ruth Johnson, Mrs. Frank Blaylock, Forest McKenzie.

The bride wore a powder blue dress, with black accessories, and her flowers were pink camellias. Mrs. Clements wore beige jersey, with black accessories, and a corsage of talisman roses.

Miss Matthews, now, Mrs. Blaylock, is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school, and has been for some time employed at the Montgomery Ward store in Sedalia. Mr. Blaylock is a graduate of the Smithton high school and is employed by the Sedalia Implement Company.

The couple will be at home at 207 East Seventh street.

Water-Well Drillers Talk Over Convention Problems



Among the leaders of the Missouri Water-Well Drillers' Association, which closed a two-day convention in Sedalia Saturday afternoon, are four in the picture above. They are, left to right, Leonard Koebel, a director, Chesterfield; Theodore Flamm, vice-president, Kimmswick; R. A. Foster, secretary, Harrisonville; M. J. White, Lees Summit, president.

Rising Tide Of Resistance To The Japanese

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The islands is expressed by all classes of the people.

"Civilian resistance to the Japanese is growing in intensity and is becoming increasingly effective. The Filipinos take advantage of every opportunity to show their contempt for the Japanese aggressor. Many informers have mysteriously disappeared. A secret society known as the 'FFF' or 'Fighters For Freedom' has been formed to foster civilian resistance.

"A few days ago the Japanese military authorities woke up to find that proclamations which they had plastered throughout Manila and the countryside had all been strangely altered. This proclamation enumerated a number of offenses against the Japanese which were punishable by death. It declared that for every Japanese killed, ten Filipinos would be shot. The alteration made the proclamation read that for every Filipino killed ten Japanese soldiers would lose their lives.

"2. There is nothing to report from other areas."

Degree Banquet For K. Of C.

An exceptionally large gathering of members of the Knights of Columbus is expected here today for exemplification of major degrees in the Woodmen-Maccabee hall at 412½ South Ohio avenue starting at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Grand Knight Arthur W. Klang announces numerous priests and several of the state officers of the K. of C., will be here and will attend a banquet this evening at 6:30 o'clock at St. Patrick's school hall. It will be served by women of the church. The principal speaker will be Fred Vogel of Jefferson City, past district deputy. A program of special entertainment will also be provided.

Local members of the K. of C., will receive holy communion in a body at Sacred Heart church this morning at the 8 o'clock mass.

Granted a Divorce

Mrs. Marie Anne Cassing was granted a divorce from Ernest Henry Cassing in the circuit court Saturday.

Big Guns Of U. S. Navy In Action Off Java

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enemy's landing attempts at Bali.

The announcement of air activities placed the Japanese landing operations off Denpasar, on the southeast Bali coast, the only protected harbor of the island.

The battle was the first in which Dutch cruisers have participated in the war, and was hailed here as indicating that the greatest fight of the war in the Indies, exceeding even the four-day running battle of Macassar Straits, was rapidly developing.

Refute Japanese Claims

It was regarded here as a clear refutation of Japanese claims of Feb. 6 to sinking two Dutch cruisers and crippling a third, which the Japanese said amounted to virtual annihilation of the Dutch navy.

There was no word as to how well Japan was succeeding in getting troops ashore on Bali.

But there was no doubt that if she obtained a good foothold at Denpasar, within 200 miles of Soerabaja, the Dutch naval base on Java, she would be on well on her way to occupying the whole of the 100-mile long island, which is separated from Java only by a mile-wide strait.

In Sumatra, off the other extremity of Java, the Japanese were attempting to reinforce their troops from transports off the Musi river near Palembang.

For the first time, however, the Japanese were encountering formidable air resistance.

Combinations of United States dive bombers, heavy bombers and fighters made repeated attacks off Bali, with one single formation of 10 flying fortresses attacking the Japanese at one time.

A Washington war department communique said heavy bombers attacked a formation of two cruisers, four or five destroyers and four transports and scored three direct hits on at least one of the cruisers and direct hits on two of the transports.

Baptism Of Fire

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—(AP)—The army's new dive bomber received its first official reported baptism of fire in the continuing battle of Bali.

Seven of the type which the air forces designate as the A-24 took part in one phase of the running fight with a Japanese invasion fleet threatening Java, the war department reported, and "seriously damaged," a Japanese cruiser.

Two, however, were shot down along with two of an escort of 16 army P-40 fighter planes.

The A-24 is a two-place, single engine, all metal Douglas plane. The war department reported last summer at preliminary tests that it would "outperform" dive bombers now in use by foreign nations.

A highly specialized craft for use particularly against moving targets, the dive bomber supplements other army types such as the long range heavy planes which have scored several times in the southwest Pacific fighting, two-engine medium bombers, and the light A-20 attack bomber.

Japs Claim Destroyers Sunk

TOKYO (From Japanese Broadcasts) Feb. 21.—(AP)—Claiming a naval victory against odds, imperial headquarters said today two Dutch destroyers were sunk, a third was damaged, and two cruisers were struck by torpedoes in a fight with four Japanese destroyers in the strait between Bali and Lombok.

The communique acknowledged that one of the Japanese destroyers was damaged but said she was able to continue under her own power.

Important Meeting For Retail Grocers

All retail grocers of the city are urged to be in attendance at the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Sedalia Independent Retail Grocers Association being held tomorrow night (Monday) at Hotel Bothwell at 8:00 o'clock.

War time regulations and new federal rulings call for the closest co-operation and all Independent Retail grocers will find it to their advantage to be in attendance.

Roundup Of Aliens Deemed As Dangerous

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"Leaders of Japanese nationalistic societies," in one of the government's largest war-time raids in that area. Large quantities of contraband were seized.

Harold Nathan, FBI chief, emphasized that the Japanese were not "merely rank and file members; they are all leaders in Japanese nationalistic societies."

One prisoner was identified as a retired Japanese naval officer. Contraband taken included a therapeutic machine Nathan said was "capable of sending radio messages for short distances."

At Olympia, Wash., Governor Arthur B. Langlie proclaimed the entire state a protective defense area and ordered all Japanese to surrender to the state patrol all firearms, ammunition, explosives or other instruments which might be used to endanger property or life.

Auto Rationing Begins March 2

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cent of last year's automobile production available for sale during the next 12 months, "many persons on the eligible list will not be able to get a new car."

List of Eligibles

Within these qualifications, the following will be eligible for purchase certificates:

Physicians, surgeons visiting nurses and farm veterinarians; clergymen; institutions needing ambulances; fire departments; police departments; other public health and safety officials; mail carriers; taxi operators; persons using care in connection with "essential construction, maintenance and repair services"; executives, technicians, engineers and workers directly or indirectly connected with prosecution of the war; federal, state, local and foreign government officials engaged in duties directly connected with public health, safety, or the war effort; farmers lacking other means of transporting produce or supplies to and from market; traveling salesmen handling essential supplies; and other persons carrying newspapers for wholesale delivery.

Regular School Classes Monday

The public and parochial schools of the city will have regular classes Monday. Some were of the opinion that Washington's birthday, which is today would be observed with a holiday Monday, but such is not the case for the school children.

Takes Position In Washington.

Miss Cora Faye Richardson of 1116 East Eleventh street, who for the past year has been employed at the Lamy factory, will leave today for Washington, D. C., where she has obtained a Civil Service position. She will live with her sister in Washington.

Parents Of a Son

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keyte, of Ionia, are parents of a son, born Friday at the Bothwell hospital.

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Personals

Miss Mary Alice Donahue who is attending college at Atchison Kansas, arrived yesterday to attend and sing at the Knights of Columbus banquet, to be held at the St. Patrick's school hall tonight. She will return back to college sometime Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Eubank and son, Richard and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Yeater, and Mrs. Mildred Yeater, of near LaMonte, left Saturday for Long Beach, Calif., to reside.

Mrs. Gus Wolf, of Little Rock, Ark., is the guest of Miss Mary Smasal, of 1111 West Second street.

Roy Snyder and A. D. Aiken returned Friday night from Baltimore, Md., driving through in Mr. Snyder's son, Ensign Millard Snyder's automobile, which was in Baltimore. Ensign Snyder, in the U. S. navy, has been assigned to sea duty.

Misses Mary Lu and Joan Reid, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reid, of Dal Whi Mo Court, are spending the week end with their sister, Miss Betty a student at Font Bonne College, St. Louis.

Miss Barbara Beckmeyer, attending St. Louis University, St. Louis, is here to remain over Monday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Beckmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Van Wagner, and son "Van" of Knoxville, Iowa, are guests of Mr. Van Wagner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Van Wagner, 909 South Missouri, and Mrs. Van Wagner's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Weaver, 408 Dal-Whi-Mo Court.

"Billy" Harned, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Harned, a student at St. Louis University, St. Louis, is spending the holidays at home.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Patients dismissed from the hospital Friday and Saturday were: Ernest Gillespie, 1504 South Barrett avenue; Timothy Sanders, 408 East Eleventh street; Mrs. Grover Stahl and infant son, Otterville; Mrs. H. J. Bopp, 1815 South Kentucky avenue; Mrs. Robert Rogers, Sedalia route 4; Mrs. Charles Hoehns, 1908 South Lamine, and infant daughter.

Tire Inspectors To Meet On Monday Night

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Ernest Kerr, route 2, Cole Camp reported to police officers about 10 o'clock last night, that two Negro girls held him up and robbed him, as he was walking near Main and Lamine. He said they "strong-armed" him and took his pocketbook, which contained \$1.70. Kerr said he came to Sedalia with his wife and children to shop, and they were in the car nearby waiting for him.

He gave the police a description of the girls and a few minutes later Officer Flewellyn arrested Gladys Gray, 211 East Pettis and Ferda Mae Lyles, 315 East Pettis, and they are held in the county jail, charged with the offense.

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Serial Story . . .

Kings Row

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THE STORY: Schoolmates in smalltown Kings Row are orphaned Parris Mitchell, desperate child, sweetheart Renee, Drake McHugh, tomboy Randy Monahan, beautiful Cassandra Tower whose doctor father, town mystery, takes her out of school after social snub from Gordons; Louise Gordon, leading physician's daughter; half-wit Benny Singer, brunt of schoolboy jokes, whom lawyer Skelington saves from jail when Benny challenges attack from bully Fulmer Green and gang. Madame von Elis, Parris' French grandmother whom he adores, plans for Parris' medical schooling in Vienna, knowing she cannot live long. Tom Carr, wife of insane Lucy Carr, suggests to Parris he study treatment of mental illness. Parris is reading medicine with Dr. Tower.

NEW WORLD OPENS

CHAPTER X

HERE in his study, with the sunlight touching his heavy mahogany-colored hair, Dr. Tower looked younger than Parris had expected. Also he had an air that was not easy for Parris to define, but which he knew was unlike that of other men. Distinction, yes; but also something quietly and intensely alive, maybe a shade menacing.

"I hear your grandmother proposes sending you to Vienna."

"Yes, sir."

"She must be extraordinary." "She's quite wonderful," Parris said quietly, and Dr. Tower nodded gravely. Then he began to talk. Parris could not follow all of it, but he listened as he had never listened before.

Parris felt enormously important as he listened. Dr. Tower had the air of taking him into a quite special confidence. Parris was giving his most concentrated attention now, but he was giving something else, too, and that was a sudden and violent loyalty.

Dr. Tower turned abruptly in his chair. "You aren't having psychology at Aberdeen, are you?"

"No, sir."

"Good. Don't take it." "Very well, sir."

"You can read German, Gordon says."

"Yes, sir."

"And French?" "Not as much as German."

"All right. You seem to have something to go on. You wouldn't be here if you didn't. Gordon says a good word for you. I'll see you on Friday."

"Thank you, sir. I enjoyed the afternoon very much."

"Yes? Well—" Dr. Tower seemed slightly embarrassed for an instant at Parris' old-fashioned manner.

Parris could not sleep that night. He was more deeply ex-

cited than he had ever been in his life.

IN midwinter Drake's Uncle Rhodes died, and his aunt had a stroke shortly afterward. Plans were being made to close the house and to remove Mrs. Livingstone to a sanitarium.

"What are you going to do?" Parris asked when Drake told him about it.

Drake looked a little forlorn under a thin bravado.

"I guess they'll send me to live at Mrs. Searcy's boardinghouse." Parris couldn't think of anything to say.

"Say, Parris, you and I are mighty near in the same fix! Did you ever think of that?"

"How do you mean?" "When your grandma dies you'll be all by yourself in the world, too."

Parris' head went down and he slid his hands deeper into his pockets.

Drake continued more cheerfully. "I'll have forty thousand dollars when I'm twenty-one."

"Will you, sure enough?" "I guess you'll have more'n that, won't you, when your grandma dies?"

"I don't know. I never thought about it."

"Sure you will. I heard Uncle Rhodes say your place out there was worth a lot of money."

"How did you know about it?" "Oh, I don't know. Everybody knows everything about everybody's business in this town."

"Well, I don't." "You're a peculiar kind of a kid, anyhow, Parris."

"How, Drake? I wish you'd tell me."

"I don't know, just peculiar. I like you all right, though. You know that." This was unusual from Drake.

"Soon I'll get my money I think I'll buy an interest in something or other and work hard, and in a couple of years get married."

Parris was stunned for a moment. Getting married was something he never had thought about. He looked respectfully at Drake.

"Who? Cassie Tower?" "Lord, no. Her old man won't let you get in a mile of her. I'll tell you, but keep this to yourself—"

"Of course." "Louise Gordon?"

"Oh." "Don't you like her?"

"Why, of course, I guess I do. I don't know her any more. Ever since I dropped out of school I don't know many people."

"That's so, I guess. You do

kind of live to yourself, don't you?"

"It isn't because I want to." "You're a fool sometimes, kid. Don't miss all the good times. You go around with me, and I'll show you something. I want to try everything before I get married and settle down. Say, how about Cassie Tower? How did you happen to mention her a while ago?"

"I just happened to think of her."

"You go there all the time, don't you, to see her old man?"

"I never see her any more, though—just once in a while."

"You're a funny kid, Parris. Didn't you ever have a girl friend?"

Parris flushed. Renee . . .

A THICK scurry of gray-blue clouds was coming up, and a strong wind poured over the rim of the western rise toward the prairies.

A recollection shot through him like a physical pain. Renee, shabby and little, and something else that squeezed his chest at the thought of her.

He turned around and walked backward—a fine drive of sleet had begun and it stung his face like fire . . . she was somewhere—right now. She was talking, or helping her mother, or laughing—would she be laughing, maybe? Could she be somewhere laughing while he was thinking so hard about her, and remembering, and feeling so terrible? He tried hard to separate the many mental pictures of her—to see her as she stood in the moonlight that night of his birthday supper, and said: "I'd like to be your girl. I guess you're my sweetheart, too."

No—no—no: she wouldn't forget, she couldn't!

Renee! What was he to do about it? He'd have to find her someday. And then—Drake's startling phrase crossed his mind. And then—why then, he might get married.

As he edged up the long slippery terrace steps he thought of Drake's disquieting remark: "You and I are mighty near in the same fix."

This solid house and these secure acres of ground—they could pass away and belong to someone else. Drake had so casually said: "When the place is sold." It would be his when his grandmother died. Maybe he'd just keep it and try to run it as she did. But then he wouldn't be able to be a doctor, and he had to be a doctor. She wanted him to be, and of course he would do as she wished.

"Gee!" he muttered. "I wonder what's going to become of me."

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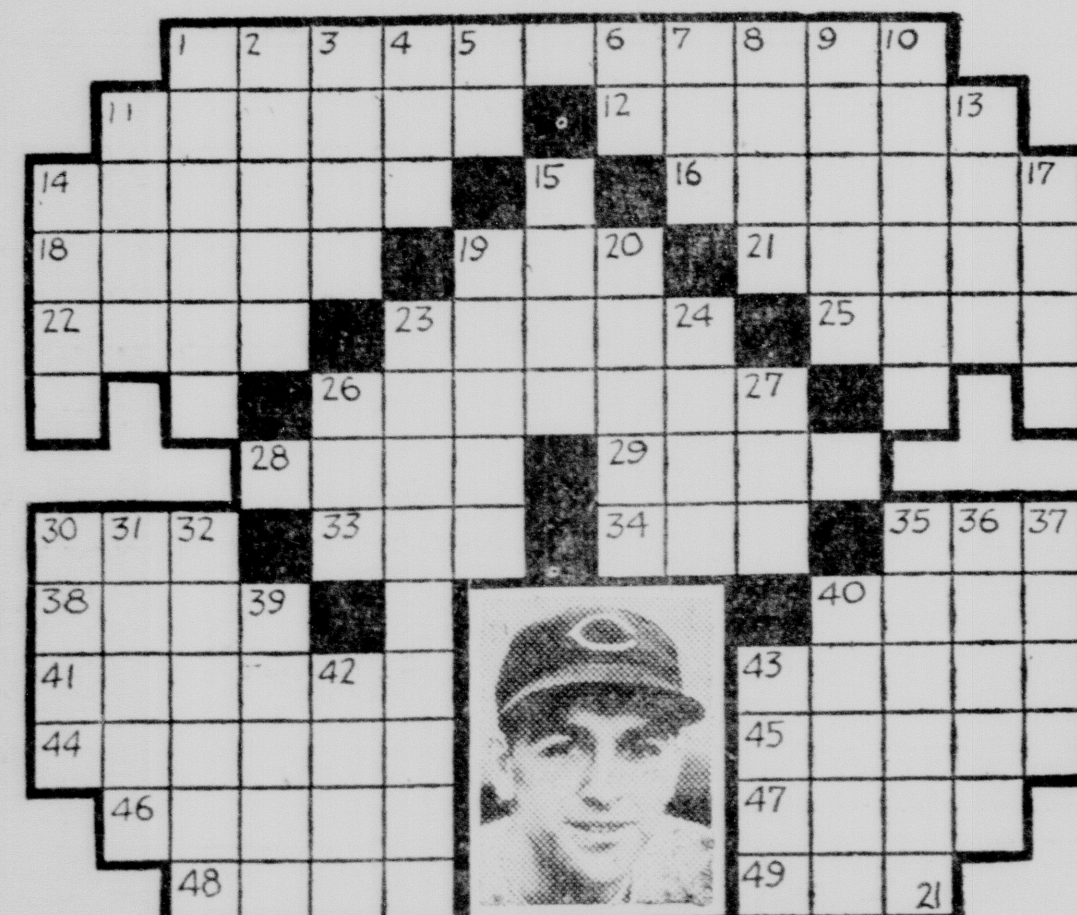
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(a) Don't entertain?

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5. What products often are substituted for sugar.

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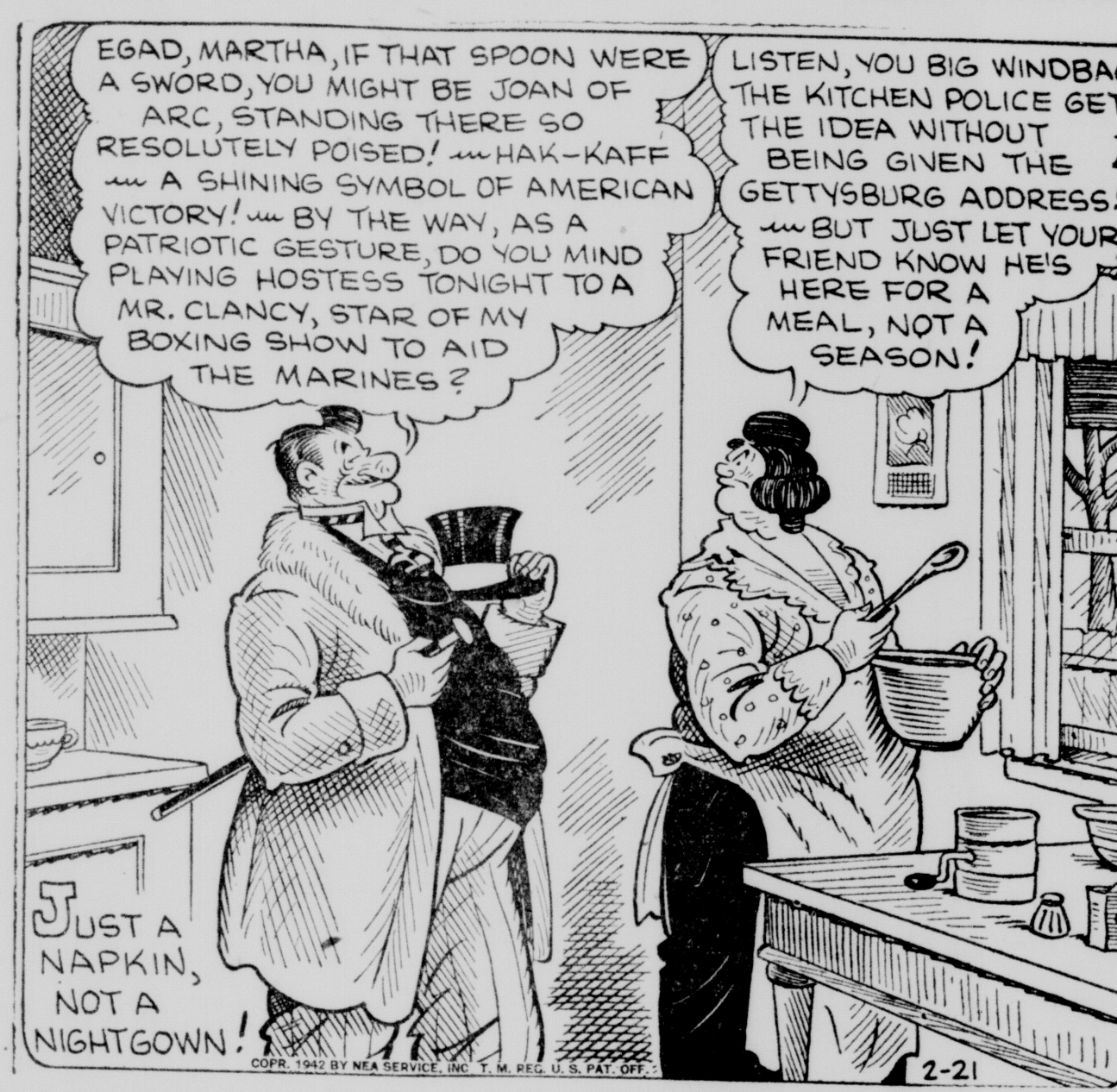
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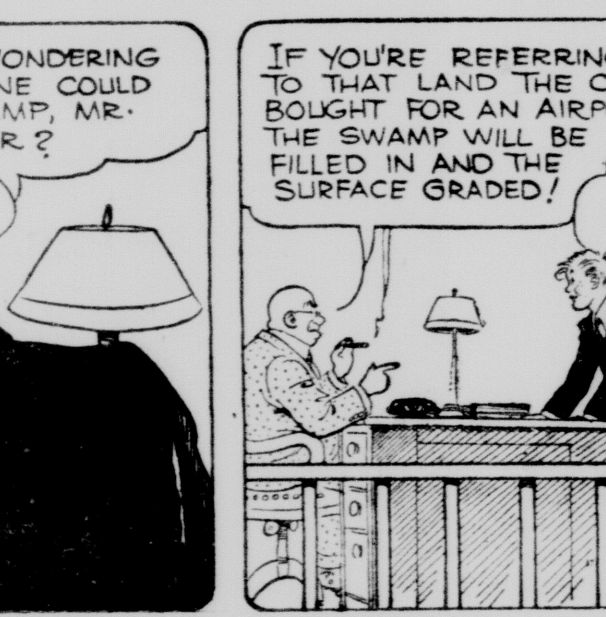
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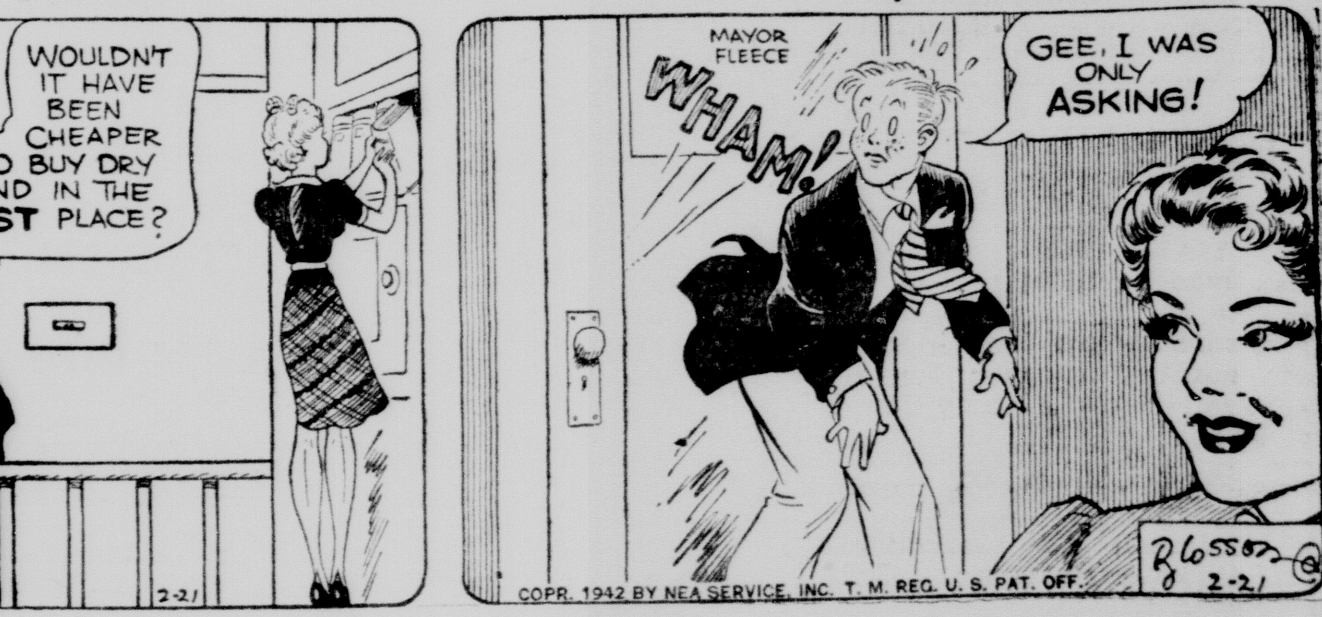
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Irregular Trend On Stock Market

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(AP)—The stock market today finished another blacksliding week with modest gains for scattered rails and industrials just about offsetting declining tendencies for numerous leaders.

Attendance in Wall Street and buying ardor were light as many customers gave Wall Street a wide berth in favor of a lengthy holiday. Major markets will recess Monday for Washington's birthday.

Mild irregularity prevailed at the start and, while motors and a handful of favorites put on a last-minute rally, final price changes were well mixed. Declines and losses ranged from fractions to a point or so.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was up .1 of a point at 35.6 but on the week showed a net decline of .5. Of 500 individual issues traded, 179 were up, 174 down and 147 unchanged. Volume picked up a bit compared with last Saturday. Transfers totaled 213,900 shares against 167,370 a week ago, the latter being smallest Saturday aggregate since last August. Dealings throughout the week were exceptionally listless, activity in no session reaching 400,000 shares.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—

WHEAT—

	High	Low	Saturday	Friday
May	130½	129½	130¼	130¼
July	131½	131¼	131¼	131¼
Sept.	133½	133¼	133¼	133¼

CORN—

May	85½	85¼	85¼	85¼
July	90	89½	89½	89½
Sept.	91½	91¼	91¼	91¼

OATS—

May	58½	57½	57½	57½
July	57½	57¼	57¼	57¼
Sept.	57½	57¼	57¼	57¼

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Personals

Mark Farrell, who is an attorney at law in Detroit, Michigan, was here last week on a short visit with his aunt, Mrs. Lula Human of 313 1/2 South Kentucky avenue. From here he went on to Los Angeles, California, to visit with his family. He will return to Detroit in a few weeks.

Mrs. Fred Lange, of 917 West Third street, was called to Dallas, Texas, on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Hazel Sittell. Mrs. Sittell has been bedfast for about six weeks but shows slight improvement.

Mrs. Lange will remain for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. LaPlant and son have returned from Boston, Mass., where they were called to the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. R. A. Cameron, who underwent an operation for appendicitis. They left Mrs. Cameron improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hemphill, Mrs. Stephens and Miss Adams went to Kansas City Saturday to hear a Christian Science lecture that was given Saturday night, at the First Church of Christ Scientist by Mrs. Margaret Murney Glenn Maiter, of Boston, Mass.

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Candle Service By Jefferson School PTA

Founders' Day Is Observed On Friday Night

The Jefferson School Parent-Teacher Association observed Founder's Day with a candle service and tea at the regular meeting Friday night. The characters in the sketch, "The Lighting of the Candles," included the Spirit of the Parent-Teacher association, the two Founders of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers and the Nine Goals—Good Homes, Sound Health, Safety, Equalized Educational Opportunity, Conservation of Human Values and Natural Resources, Vocational Adjustment, Constructive Leisure—Time Activities, Civic Responsibility, Active Spiritual Faith—of the association. Those participating were:

Mrs. Guy Brownfield, Mrs. Harry Sullivan, Mrs. Nelson White, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Mrs. G. C. Morris, Mrs. Frank York, Mrs. J. H. Rabourn, Mrs. Jack Odle, Mrs. Fred Staley, Mrs. Herschel Summers, Mrs. John Wells and Mrs. Olin Pirtle. The following girls assisted by singing "Lift Thine Eyes": Catherine Hopper, Mary Louise Higgins, Shirley Brownfield, Dorothy Ransdell, Ruth Ann Hagerman, Sarah Cornelius and Betty Varner.

Tea was poured by the president of the first Jefferson Parent-Teacher association, Mrs. John Earls, who was assisted by the first vice president, Mrs. L. L. Anthony. These ladies who were officers in 1921 served from a very attractive lace covered table on which were bowls of tinted carnations, daffodils and acacia trimmed with fern, a large birthday cake with a white candle and silver service at each end. Preceding the program a short business meeting was held. The association voted to support the dental program. A nominating committee of Mrs. Nelson White, Mrs. J. H. Rabourn and Mr. Alvey was appointed to select officers for the coming year. The room award for attendance went to Room one taught by Miss Mary Louise Hull.

Add Energy To The War Effort

George R. Wilkerson, Pettis county farmer, Friday noon addressed the luncheon of the Kansas City Real Estate board at the Hotel Muehlbach Friday, taking to task farm and labor leaders, those elements in business and industry taking excess profits, self-pensioning congressmen, and the "social workers" and their sympathizers who are refusing to practice government economy when the big strain is for the war effort.

"Now is no time for bonuses and 120 percent parity for farmers, no time for strikes by labor, no time for excess profits and unfair practices for industry and business," he declared. "It is no time for pensions for congressmen. No time for any public expenditure unless it will directly further the defense of America and our allies."

Mr. Wilkerson, long an outspoken opponent of regimentation of agriculture, believes the farmers "ought to disown any farm leader who is insisting on more than 100 percent parity."

"My prayer for American agriculture is that it may make a record of unselfish production that will force American industry and American labor to banish the profit motive until Hitlerism is destroyed and the Japanese archipelago sinks back into the ocean whence it rose by volcanic action," he declared.

Mr. Wilkerson believes agriculture can make the tremendous increases in production of all food and fiber products needs for the war as a result of conservation efforts that were started long before the government programs were put into operation.

Vision of Joseph Slack Improved by Operation

Joseph Slack, who is in Rochester, Minn., at the Mayo clinic, is wearing dark glasses and is able to distinguish things now. The operation on his eyes was very successful and Mr. Slack expects to be home soon.

Church Events

Sedalia Chapter No. 57, O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, Feb. 24 at 7:30 o'clock. Proficiency class installation of four officers. Social session and program. Visiting members welcome.

New Express Official

E. H. Goodrich, well known express official, has been appointed superintendent of the Missouri division of railway express agency at St. Louis, it was announced by W. J. Mathias, local agent. This city is one of the outstanding agencies of the division. CUT—wa



E. H. Goodrich

Mr. Goodrich succeeds W. O. R. Hannan, recently transferred to the express operating division at the national capital. The new superintendent has been an expressman for nearly forty years, most of the time in the south. For several years past he was stationed at Jacksonville, Florida, and became superintendent there on the first of the year.

Railroad Fuel

In 1940, the railroads of the United States used an average of 112 pounds of fuel to move 100 tons of freight and equipment one mile. This was a new record low.

Sales Of Defense Stamps Increased

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—(AP)—Sales of ten cent Defense Savings Stamps during January increased nearly 500 per cent over the previous high mark established in December, 1941, according to figures published today by the treasury department. January sales for the five denominations of stamps aggregated \$41,005,736.80 as compared with the December total of \$25,650,562.80. The sale of Defense Savings Stamps of all denominations kept pace with the general increase of Defense Bonds and Stamps, which increased from \$528,599,000 in December to \$1,060,547,000 during January.

Children Present Patriotic Program

The Junior American Citizens club of Harmony school gave a patriotic program Thursday evening at the PTA meeting. Dewey Homan, the president of the club presided. The meeting was opened with the club prayer, allegiance to the flag and the singing of America. The following children took part in the program: Billy Jean Carver, Charles Merk, Carroll Gene Kruse, Clifford Manness, Clyde Wood, Hazel Jean Burkholder, Beverly Mertgen, Arthur Homan, Mary Sanders, William Wood, Ruth Ann Moulder, James Sanders, Dewey Homan, Beatrice Merk and Billy Joe Moulder. Refreshments were served after the program.

The wood of the Ohio Buckeye tree is renowned for its use in the manufacture of artificial limbs.

Short Play At Meeting Of Broadway PT

Progress Shown Through Years On Founders' Day

Under direction of Mrs. Abe Bertman a short play, centered about the achievements in the successive years of progress of the Parent-Teacher organization, was given for the Founders' Day program at the Broadway PTA meeting Friday afternoon.

The page, Joe Potts, a seventh grade pupil, opened the door and turned the hands of a large clock as each player entered the stage reviewing the year represented. The cast included: Reader, Miss Edythe Coney; co-reader, Mrs. Abe Bertman 1897—Mrs. F. L.

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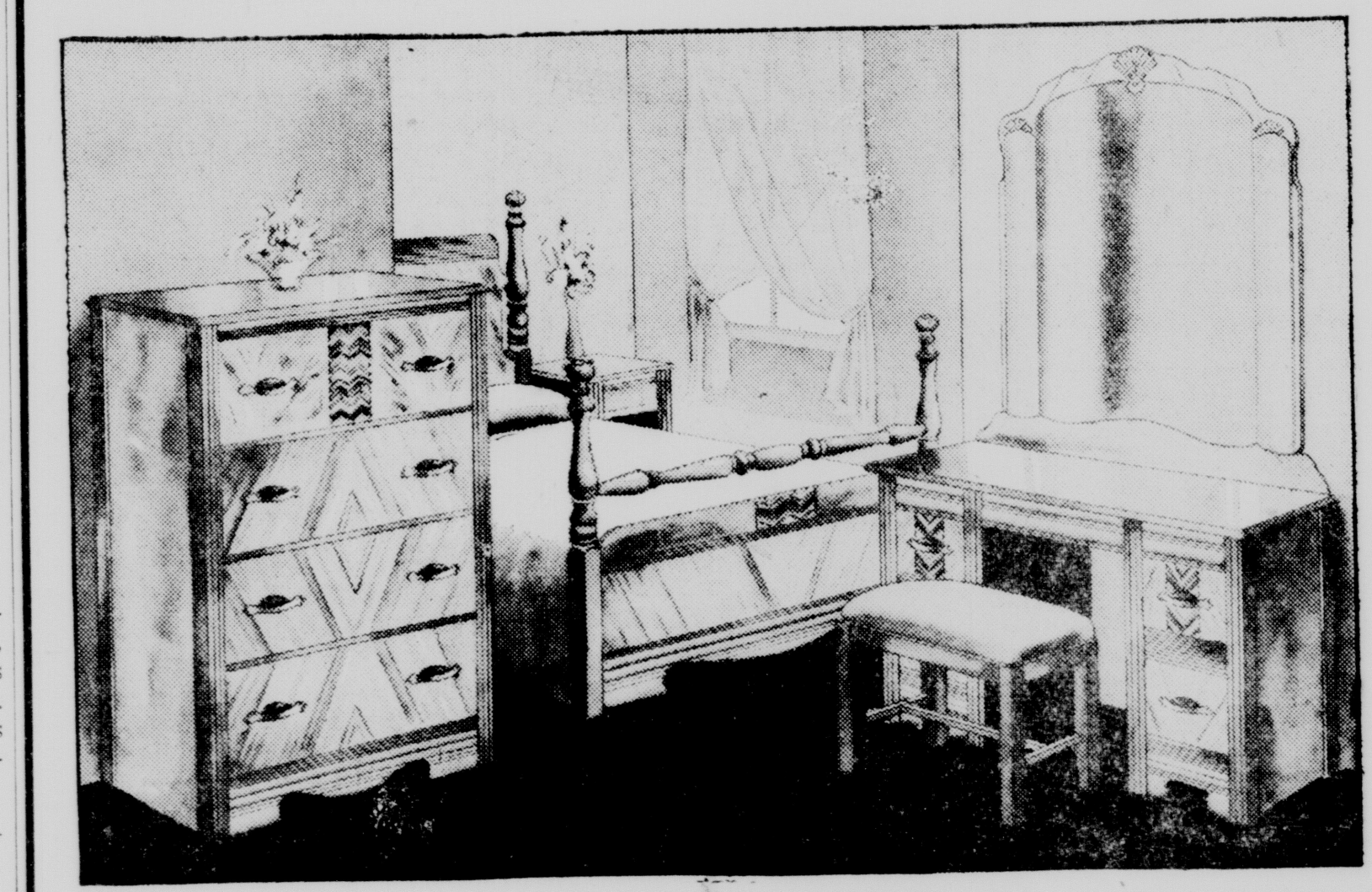
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